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ALLIES TRIUMPH IN INITIAL STAGE OF BIG NEW PUSH

Along 18-Kilometer Front, Gain Ground from 800 To 1,200 Meters Deep

CONQUER LE SARS

Brings British Within Two Miles of Bapaume; Still Making Progress

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Paris, October 8.—Weather conditions being favorable and the ground having hardened again, the onslaught against the German positions on the Somme front was resumed yesterday by the Franco-British troops, in splendid co-operation, but the advance realized seems to constitute only a preparatory movement, with a view to a further offensive on a larger scale.

Along the ten kilometer front of attack of the British troops and the eight kilometer front of the French infantry, the ground gained is from 800 to 1,200 meters deep and affords the Allies, whose junction is at Morval, excellent starting positions for the attacks to be launched against Warlencourt Mound, Sailly, Saillisel and Saint Pierre Vaast Wood.

A very energetic artillery preparation will be necessary to capture Warlencourt Mound, which bars the road to Bapaume five kilometers from the town, as it has been very strongly fortified by the Germans and dug like a mole-hill. Sailly and Saillisel have been likewise very solidly organized by the Germans, who thus command the plain extending eastwards from this brow towards Cambrai.

In the Saint Pierre Vaast Wood, of which they had held the fringes for several days, the French enlarged their positions eastward. The positions held by the French on Hill 130 have been consolidated and brought nearer the German artillery redoubt established on Mont St. Quentin.

The official communique issued yesterday afternoon reported: In the region of the Somme, the night was comparatively calm.

Attain All Objectives

The communique in the evening reported: North of the Somme, the French infantry, in conjunction with the British, attacked on the front from Morval to Bouchavesnes and brilliantly attained all their objectives. They carried their line forward 1,200 meters north-east of Morval.

Up to the present, 400 prisoners, including ten officers, and 15 machine-guns have been counted.

The new French line crowns the western slopes of the Sailley-Saillisel ridge, runs along the whole of the Bapaume road to 200 meters from Sailly and skirts the western and south-western fringes of St. Pierre Vaast Wood, whence it continues over Hill 130, to south of Bouchavesnes.

Great gatherings of enemy troops reported north of Saillisel were caught by the concentrated fire of our batteries. There were violent artillery duels south of the Somme and on the Meuse.

The communique this afternoon reported: The night was rainy. Nothing important happened on the Somme front. The enemy displayed little activity. Our aeroplanes located numerous enemy batteries in the Somme area and bombed Moislans and Vaux Wood, north of Peronne.

Shatter German Attacks

The communique this evening reported: There were intermittent reciprocal bombardments on the Somme front. After a violent artillery preparation, the Germans attacked our new positions west of Sailly and Saillisel. The attacking waves were shattered by our curtain-fire, without one reaching our trenches.

French heavy guns shelled convoys and cantonments in Woevre and also the station at Thiaumont.

A semi-official communique says: Yesterday's brilliant successes were the result of a few hours of very fierce fighting. The British made progress particularly on their two wings, carrying the hamlet of Le Sars, on their left and advancing three-quarters of a mile on their right, in the direction of the big

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Constantine to Fix Course On Brother's Report as To Allied Ministries' Attitude

History Professor Lambros Selected to Form Business Cabinet; Opposition to Venizelos Collapses

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Reuter's correct their cable of Saturday to read: "A telegram from Athens states that M. Kalogeropoulos sounded the French Premier and M. Briand replied that, if King Constantine personally *declared war* against Bulgaria, the Allies would aid Greece."

Athens, October 8.—Spyridon Lambros, the Professor of History at Athens University, has been asked to form a business Cabinet. The result is not expected to be known before Monday, when Prince Andrew arrives. Court circles believe that King Constantine is awaiting his brother's report on the attitude of the British and French Governments, to guide his course.

Canea, October 8.—Following the proclamation issued by the Provisional Government, promising amnesty to persons resisting the Venizelist movement, provided that they deposited their arms within a day, the few remaining outstanders have yielded. The enlistment of volunteers is proceeding satisfactorily.

British Occupy Villages

London, October 8.—A British official despatch from Salonica, yesterday, reported: Enemy attacks on Nevoljen were repulsed. We occupied five more villages on the Struma front.

A despatch today reported: On the Doiran front, there was the usual artillery bombardment. On the Struma front, enemy working parties were somewhat active. Close to our lines, over 1,500 enemy dead have been counted.

Reuter's correspondent at British headquarters in Macedonia states: Our guns are punishing the Bulgars terribly in the operations on the Struma front. Our losses are quite small by comparison. Our Yeomanry found one region where the ground was littered with enemy corpses and counted over 300 at one spot. Our success was a brilliant achievement.

The Bulgars attempted an attack on us under ideal conditions. The enemy fell into our trap and had to cross an open plain, in full view of our massed batteries, who fully used their opportunities.

Our infantry also were splendid, especially in night counter-attacks. One regiment, at Jenikoj, held tenaciously to some hastily repaired trenches, in face of a deadly fire and, finally, by steady and accurate rifle-fire, beat off a strong attack.

Bulgars Fly From Servians

Salonica, October 7.—After stubborn fighting, the Servians have occupied positions north of Pojar, compelling the Bulgarians to precipitate flight. They obtained a footing on Bobrojolich, a very important national barrier on the frontier, which is strongly fortified and considered impregnable. A number of prisoners were taken and much booty.

Paris, October 8.—An official despatch from Salonica reports: Fighting continues from the Cerna bend to Lake Prespa. The Servians have occupied Dobroupolje Peak and the French have captured Kisovo, in the Baba Mountains.

Berlin Is Occupied By French Troops

But It Isn't the Kaiser's Capital; It is 'Somewhere In The Balkans'

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Paris, October 7.—On the Salonica front, the Italians joined in an attack in the region of Lake Butkovo. The Servian offensive is developing on the Vetrenik-Sokol heights and advanced detachments have reached Belavoda Valley. The French have occupied Berlin, on the banks of Lake Prespa.

U.S. LOAN TO CHINA

The details of the American loan on Chinese Railways are as follows:—

The total amount:—$100,000,000.

Advance:—Gold $10,000,000.

Payment:—93.

Interest:—6 per cent per annum.

Use:—The funds will be used for the construction of the following railways:—

1. From Fenchen in Shansi to Ninghsia in Kansu.
2. From Ninghsia to Langchow in Kansu.
3. From Hengchow in Hunan to Nanning in Kwangsi.
4. From Hangchow to Wenchow in Chekiang.
5. From Kiunchow to Lohui in Hainan Island.

7 CONSECUTIVE ATTACKS DIDN'T SHIFT ITALIANS

Hold Grimly to New Positions In Vanoi Cismon Valley; Take Heavy Toll

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Rome, October 8.—An official communique reports: Seven consecutive enemy attacks, all of which were preceded by an intense bombardment, were launched against our new position in Vanoi Cismon Valley. They were all driven off, the enemy suffering heavily, as was ascertained by our reconnoitering parties.

Peking Won't Accept Chang's Resignation

He Says Conference Dissolved; Didn't Intend Interference With Political Affairs

Ostasiatische Lloyd

Peking, October 9.—According to the Chinese press, General Chang Hsun has reported to Peking that the Hsuchow conference has been dissolved and that there was no intention on his part to interfere with political affairs. Chang Hsun's resignation as Tuchun of Anhui has not been accepted by the Government.

The 7th, 11th, and 12th Divisions, as well as the Bodyguard, will take part in the parade on the 10th inst.

On Saturday Baron Hayashi, Japanese Minister to Peking, for the first time negotiated about the details of the Chengchiatung incident.

Tong Shao-yi left Tientsin for Shanghai yesterday.

The Government has instructed the Post, Railway and Telegraph Administrations that the notes of the Bank of China and Bank of Communications should be accepted.

The Japanese maneuvers in South Manchuria, near Changchun, will begin tomorrow with one division taking part. The maneuvers are not being held as a demonstration.

The negotiations about the transfer of the Russian share in the Boxer indemnity to Japan are not yet terminated.

Terauchi's China Policy

Reuter's Pacific Service to The China Press

Tokio, October 8.—The Kokusai News Agency authoritatively denies the reports current in the United States that Japan intends to adopt militarism or active and harsh measures in China. It says that the Terauchi Administration favors friendly commercial and industrial expansion, without chauvinistic tendencies.

The Weather

Gloomy and misty weather. The maximum temperature recorded yesterday was 65.5 and the minimum 63.2, the figures for the corresponding day last year being respectively 83.6 and 63.5.

Snow Covered Fort Adamello, Scene of Recent Fighting

A subject to delight the heart of an artist is presented by this pic ture of a snow covered Italian fort on Mount Adamello, high up in the Alps.

It is in this region that the most picturesque campaign of the European conflict is being waged between the Austrian and Italian forces amid the Alpine snows.

Captured Zeppelin Is Placed on Exhibition To London Sightseers

Was Only Built in July; Making Third Trip When Met Disaster; 60 Bomb-Droppers

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, October 7.—While the German Reichstag is being torn by fierce quarrels and intrigues as to the resumption of the submarine and Zeppelin campaign on a scale of unprecedented "frightfulness," London is now much enjoying the exhibition of the latest super-Zeppelin brought down. The crew are prisoners and the public are admitted to view the vast monster air-ship, lying helpless, but with all its fittings still so complete that it seems impossible that such a colossal fabric can have come to earth undamaged.

Although bent and twisted metal trellises of framework show, the ship's general line is quite clear. Across a road it lies, with each half resting in the fields on either side and the road in the center blocked by the tangle of wire-work, etc.

From within the frame, the view is much as if one were inside the skeleton of a palace, or else at the bottom of the frame-work of some huge steamship, looking along the floor. The vessel is one of Germany's largest.

It was built only in July and is fitted with machinery for sixty bomb-droppers. Her crew was 22 officers and men and she carried five ordinary maxims, with 2 or 3 of heavier caliber. It was on her third raid that this ship's career was so ingloriously ended.

Another ironical comment on German despair that German bluff now tries so furiously to dissimulate in frightfulness is afforded by a captured document belonging to the German general Sixt von Arnim. In this same sober report, the writer, for his own information, records the prowess of the British forces and the shortcomings in German provisions, methods, preparations, etc.

He pays a tribute to the overwhelming superiority of the British artillery and the unquestioned British control of the air and then discusses the faults of the German organisation and the need of an ampler supply of apparatus, machine-guns, etc. And this document is yet earlier in date than General von Falkenhayn's cry of anxiety about insufficient ammunition in August and so sheds a lurid light on the growth of the difficulties under which the German army is now laboring to an increasing degree.

From General von Arnim's report of July, we can only guess at the yet greater effect of the depression produced on the German Army Command by the great Allied push in August and September. Meanwhile, between July 13 and September 30, the British alone, on the Somme front, have captured 29 heavy guns and heavy howitzers, 92 field guns and howitzers, 102 pieces of trench artillery and 397 machine-guns.

Receptions, Races, Lantern Procession in Celebration Of Anniversary of Republic

Program for Today

8.15 a.m.: Scouts Salute Flag.

10 a.m. to 1 p.m.: Public reception Chinese Bureau of Foreign Affairs, Bubbling Well Road.

3 to 5.30 p.m.: Public tea party at Chamber of Commerce.

1.30 p.m.: Races at Kiangwan.

Evening: Lantern procession through Foreign Settlement.

Special program in front of Tao-yin's Yamen.

Elaborate ceremonies have been planned in Shanghai for today in celebration of the fifth anniversary of the Chinese Republic. All schools, government offices and hongs will close for the day that all may attend the receptions, tea parties during the day and the lantern processions and special programs for the evening.

The official observance of the day will be at the Bubbling Well Office of the Bureau of Foreign Affairs. As many of the Chinese officials as it will be possible to have in Shanghai will be in the receiving line of the official reception to the consular staffs and prominent foreigners of the Settlement. This function has been arranged for the hours between 10 and 1 o'clock. Attaches and government representatives from the German and Austrian consulates will be received at the Foreign Office at an earlier hour. Mr. Yang Tcheng, Special Commissioner, will be the official host.

The feature of the day's observance will be the lantern procession through the Foreign Settlement in the evening. This has been arranged by committees from the provincial guilds, the schools and colleges, the Fire Brigade and the Civil and Military Yamens. The schools taking part are the Nanyang College, St. John's University, Baptist College, Chinese Y. M. C. A. School, World's Chinese Students' Federation, Nanyang Commercial School, Fuh Tan College, Pu-Tung School and the Citizen School.

All merchants, officials and the general public are invited to the public tea party at the Chamber of Commerce to be held during the afternoon. Chinese government officials will be present.

At the Yamen of Mr. Hsu Yuen-hao a special program has been arranged for the evening. The place has been decorated with garlands and electric lights.

The International Recreation Club is offering an especially attractive card of races at Kiangwan for the afternoon.

Three Days' Celebration

Special Correspondence of The China Press

Hangchow, October 9.—Last night the streets of Hangchow resolved themselves into one big bower of national flags. Today the whole city is in holiday attire. The government schools are granting their students a three days holiday. All classes in the city seem bent on making up for last year's celebration which was suppressed by order of the late emperor-president.

The principal events of the three days' celebration will center in the erstwhile Manchu city, now Chekiang's "model settlement." Over the broad paved streets of this district thousands of lanterns have been strung. Large and highly decorated arches command the street intersections. Arc-lights have been provided in plenty to furnish abundant light in the evenings.

Music is being dispensed by a military band and by a boys' band representing the Nandgin (Kiangsu) orphanage. Orchestras of Chinese instruments are stationed at various places. A concert of foreign music, vocal and instrumental, will be conducted each afternoon; most of the numbers will be given by students from the several mission schools of the city.

This afternoon Hangchow College and the First Middle School will meet each other on the gridiron. Wayland Academy will give an exhibition basket ball game.

Prof. S. C. Lee (B. A. Harvard) of Nanyang University will give an exhibition of Western magic and sleight of hand. Mr. Lee acquired this art while in America and gave numerous entertainments there raising money for famine relief in China.

An outdoor moving picture entertainment, high class theatricals, and a mammoth lantern parade participated in by all of the schools and others, will be other events on each evening program.

At the request of the committee in charge, the Y.M.C.A. has placed on display the huge health exhibit organized by the lecture department of the National Committee of the Y.M.C.A. The local Association will also give each evening lantern lectures on tuberculosis and on sanitation.

The main ceremonies in commemoration of the fifth anniversary of the founding of the republic will take place tomorrow morning in a large pavilion which has been erected across one of the broad streets of the "Manchu City." Leaders of all classes will participate in the exercises, the chief functionary in which will be Governor-General Lu Kong-vang. In the afternoon in the provincial library on Emperors' Island, West Lake, Governor and Lady Lu will tender a reception to all of the foreign residents of Hangchow.

DESPATCHES TAKEN BY SUBMARINE FOR COUNT BERNSTORFF

U.23 Makes Newport Harbor, Stays Two Hours, Then Sails Again

BRITISH PROTEST

Two Merchantmen Torpedoed Close In To American Coast

U. S. SHIP STOPPED

Held Up by Unidentified Submersible, But Later Allowed to Proceed

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Newport, Rhode Island, October 8.—The submarine U.23 arrived from Wilhelmshaven, with despatches for the German Ambassador, Count Bernstorff and sailed again after staying two hours.

The Captain of the Nantucket Lightship has wirelessed that a submarine held up the s.s. America, which was bound from New York to Boston, on Sunday morning, but later permitted her to proceed. The steamer radioed the lightship, asking why she had been held up, as she was flying the American flag.

The message did not identify the submarine.

Washington, October 8.—The British Ambassador, Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, has called at the State Department. It is believed that he protested against the visit of the German submarine U.23, in view of the recent Allied Note urging neutrals to prevent submarines entering their ports.

British Ships Torpedoed

Boston, October 8.—The British steamer West Point (3,847 tons) wirelesses that she has been attacked by a submarine at 40.25 north, 69 west. A private message says that the West Point was torpedoed and is sinking. The crew have taken to their boats.

The position at which the attack took place is directly in the lane of trans-Atlantic traffic.

New York, October 8.—The British steamer Strathdene, from New York for Bordeaux, has been torpedoed. Twenty of the crew have been taken on board the Nantucket Lightship. An American destroyer flotilla has left Newport, Rhode Island, to rescue them.

The Strathdene sank at 6 o'clock this morning. The West Point was still afloat early this afternoon.

Trip From Wilhelmshaven Occupied Seventeen Days

(Ostasiatische Lloyd War Service)

New York, October 7.—It is reported from Newport, Rhode Island: The German submarine U. 23 has arrived here from Wilhelmshaven, after having crossed the ocean in 17 days.

Rear-Admiral Knight, accompanied by a number of naval officers, boarded the U. 23, which left the harbor shortly after five o'clock in the afternoon, two hours after her arrival.

JAPAN'S CABINET

The Shanghai Nippo has received a Tokio telegram which states that a new Cabinet has been formed, with the following personnel:—

Field-Marshal Terauchi, Prime Minister and Minister of Finance, also Minister of Foreign Affairs pro tem.

Baron Goto, Minister of Home Affairs.

Dr. Matsumuro, Minister of Justice.

Mr. Nakashoji, Minister of Agriculture and Commerce.

Mr. Okada, Minister of Education.

Baron Den, Minister of Communications.

The Ministers of the Army and Navy remain unchanged.

RUMANIANS CAN HALT FALKENHAYN AT WILL

Mackensen Already Recoiling Under Steady Pressure; Danube Crossing Daring Raid

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, October 8.—Information on the complicated and constantly changing Rumanian military situation is meager, but it is sufficient to confirm the anticipations of Rumanian prowess and skill. Prompt counter-strokes to Marshal von Mackensen's initial success in the Dobrudja and von Falkenhayn's blow at Hermannstadt have foiled the attempt of the enemy to arrest the bold offensive in the Carpathians.

The withdrawal of the Rumanians at Fogaras, between Hermannstadt and Brasso, which is announced in a German communique, is not considered important, as the Rumanians already own their competence to call a halt to von Falkenhayn when the situation demands. It is possible that the Rumanians, in co-operation with the victorious advance of the Allies in Macedonia, are now exerting their chief strength in the Dobrudja, where Marshal von Mackensen is recoiling under the steady pressure of the Russo-Rumanian forces.

It has now been shown that the crossing of the Danube by the Rumanians was merely a daring raid against von Mackensen's rear, quite in keeping with General Avarescu's reputation for audacity and resource. The accounts published by the enemy of this stroke are amusingly contradictory, a Bulgarian communique asserting that "the Rumanians have been surrounded" and the German communique saying that "the Rumanians avoided an encircling attack by Bulgarian and German forces."

It is reported that the King of Rumania has congratulated General Avarescu on the brilliant results of the raid on the Bulgarian rear. The enemy in the Dobrudja, fearful for the safety of their flanks, made desperate counter-attacks to prevent these being turned by the Allied cavalry.

Russian gun-boats on the Danube shelled the Bulgarian left from Rassova, while the Russians advanced on a front which is now clearly defined as extending from Rassova to Pervell, on the Black Sea, eighteen miles south of Constanza. Thus the Allies have recovered the initiative in the Dobrudja.

Bukharest, October 7.—An official communique reports: There has been fighting of minor importance on our northern front. The Rumanians resumed the offensive at Canani Pass and Vulcan Pass.

In the Dobrudja, the Rumanian right wing advanced and occupied the enemy's trenches.

A semi-official communique states that, on the northern front, the Rumanians have withdrawn to strategic positions before stronger enemy forces, mostly composed of German troops, so as to assure a powerful defence of the four passes leading from Rumania towards Brasso. Everything shows that the Austrians and Germans are trying to strike a desperate blow and are collecting troops from all the other fronts.

There have been encounters between patrols in northern Transylvania. The Rumanians repulsed several attacks west of Brasso.

There were artillery actions at Aluta Pass and Vulcan Pass and also along the Danube and in the Dobrudja.

Gather Main Forces To Oppose Russians

Every Yard in Galicia Contested; Hopeful of Early Successes in Balkans

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Petrograd, October 7.—The public is warned not to expect rapid developments in Volhynia and Galicia, as the weather is unfavorable, owing to rain, sleet and snow, while the enemy have concentrated their main forces and reserves there. Consequently, every yard of the Russian advance has to be contested.

But it is intimated that there is a hopeful prospect of early, decisive successes in the Balkans, especially if General Sarrail's rear can be secured by the adhesion of Greece to the Entente.

General Brussiloff, whose operations are closely connected with the Rumanian position, has now transferred his chief activity to northern Galicia and a new battle is developing on a semi-circular front of twenty-five miles, between the Brody and Tarnopol railways, where they converge towards Lemberg. Here, General Sakharoff's troops are opposed by those under General Boehm-Ermolli, which are resisting desperately.

The revival of fighting at Brzezany, farther south, is due to repeated Russian attacks against positions defended by a labyrinth of fallen trees, whose trunks and branches have been plaited with barbed-wire. Some of these positions have been captured.

An official communique reports: Fierce fighting is continuing in the region of Brzezany.

Our offensive is progressing in the Dobrudja. We occupied Karabaka and Besaul and the intervening heights, inflicting very severe losses on the enemy, one Bulgarian regiment being reduced to the strength of a battalion.

In the Caucasus, in the coast region, we occupied the fortifications of Petrakale. We entered the Persian town of Kashan.

Peking, October 6.—The following official communique from Petrograd, dated October 5, has been handed to Reuter's Agency by the Russian Legation:—On the front from Vladimir-Volynsk as far as the River Dniester, stubborn fighting continues. At several places, our troops have captured part of the enemy's positions. On the River Bystriza, in the region of Bogorodchany, we dislodged several outposts and captured prisoners.

The Turkish front: In the coast region, by a sudden offensive, assisted by the fleet, our effectives advanced on a broad front and occupied a fortified enemy position in the region of the River Kara-Burnu.

West of Kalkit-Chiftlik, our vanguards, having pierced the enemy's van-posts, inflicted severe losses on them and captured prisoners, arms, cartridges and war material. They also destroyed the enemy's mud huts and trenches.

The Rumanian front: In the Dobrudja, the advance of the Russo-Rumanian army continues. We have captured six and the Rumanians seven guns.

The Baltic Sea: On October 3, during a raid of the enemy's seaplanes, one of them was felled and captured by us, at the island of Runo, in the Gulf of Riga.

SINK RUSSIAN SHIP

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, October 6.—The Russian steamer Tourgai has been sunk.

ASQUITH AFTER FURTHER £300,000,000 WAR VOTE

Will Bring Britain's Total Expenditure To Huge Sum Of £3,132,000,000

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, October 7.—On Wednesday, Mr. Asquith will ask for a fresh vote of £300,000,000, making the total amount spent in the war up to the present £3,132,000,000.

Holland is Warned Of German Influence

Succession To Throne Against State's Interests, Asserts Prof. van Hamel

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Amsterdam, October 8.—Professor van Hamel, in an article in the Amsterdnamer, examines the relationships of monarchs. He dwells on the Hohenzollern pressure on Rumania and Greece and says that the successors of Princess Juliana are all German officers and the succession to the Dutch Throne no longer corresponds with the highest interests of the State.

Wedding

Yuan-Woung

Mr. Yuan Kung-tsoo and Miss Woung Zu-lung were united in marriage yesterday at the residence of the bride in Haining Road. Mr. Yuan is a graduate of St. John's University and is now a member of the St. John faculty. Miss Woung is a graduate of the St. Mary's Hall (1914), and a teacher in the Republican Girls' School. The young couple come from families of well-known Shanghai merchants.

Obituary

Mrs. Eliza Catherine Scidmore

Tokio, October 6.—The death is announced of Mrs. Eliza Catherine Scidmore, mother of Mr. George H. Scidmore, the United States Consul-General at Yokohama.

Her death came last evening at about 7.30 o'clock at the residence of Mr. Scidmore, No. 6 Bund. The cause of death was heart trouble and collapse, the result of an accident about a month ago. On September 6, Mrs. Scidmore fell and broke her leg, and due to her advanced age she was not able to recover from this shock. Mrs. Scidmore was 92 years old, the oldest foreign resident living in Japan.

Japan had been Mrs. Scidmore's home for the last thirty-six years. She came to Japan at about the time that her son received his first consular appointment to this country, in 1885. The Yokohama foreign community has had no member more loved and respected than Mrs. Scidmore.

She is survived by her son, the American Consul-General, and a daughter, Miss Eliza R. Scidmore, also of Yokohama.

The funeral will be held in Yokohama, but definite arrangements have not been completed.

Allies Triumph In Initial Stage

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village of Le Transloy. This advance is strategically valuable.

Le Sars and Le Transloy are two *points d'appui* of the enemy's resistance. They are both two miles from Bapaume, on the roads from Albert and Peronne respectively, which form an angle of which Bapaume is the apex. Sailly-Saillisel is the dominant position which the French are beginning to surround on the west and south-west.

British Capture Le Sars

London, October 8.—General Sir Douglas Haig reported yesterday morning: We completely repulsed bombing attacks against our new position north-east of Faucourt l'Abbaye. Otherwise, nothing important occurred south of the Ancre. We made successful raids in the Loos and Armentieres areas.

General Haig reported in the evening: Co-operating with the French, on our right, we attacked this afternoon from the Albert-Bapaume road to Les Bœufs. We advanced our line 600 to 1,000 yards between Gueudecourt and Les Bœufs, captured the village of Le Sars and made progress east and west of it.

The reports of the number of prisoners taken have not been received up to the present.

Our air-craft greatly assisted our infantry. Despite the bad weather of the past five days, our aeroplanes have done valuable work and dropped numerous bombs on the enemy.

General Haig reported this afternoon: We have advanced considerably north and north-east of Courcelette. A counter-attack made by the enemy, yesterday evening, north of Les Boeufs, recovered a small portion of their lost trenches.

Elsewhere, we secured our gains. The whole of Le Sars is now in our hands. Over 500 prisoners have been reported already.

An enemy attack against Schwaben Redoubt was completely repulsed. Successful raids were carried out during the night by Irish, Midland and Yorkshire troops in the Fauquissart, Givenchy and Loos areas.

Win More Ground

General Haig reported this evening: South of the Ancre, our front was heavily shelled during the day, especially in the neighborhood of Gueudecourt and Le Sars. There was severe fighting north of the Courcelette to Warlencourt road. We won some ground.

Our prisoners in two days total 879. We advanced our line south-west of Gueudecourt. The enemy again attacked Schwaben Redoubt, unsuccessfully.

Our aeroplanes did useful work, despite the difficult weather. One of our machines is missing.

Reuter's correspondent at British headquarters in France states that prisoners say that, during the past month, symptoms of "rot" have developed to a surprising degree in the ranks of the enemy. The experiences of our troops quite bear this out.

The German infantry, both in defence and in attack, give unmistakable tokens of military decadence, doubtless owing to their growing sense of the superiority of the Allied troops. This suggests the possibility of the German army refusing to continue to face the terrible music on this front.

Deserters have reported that large bodies of men only await an opportunity to surrender and officers have been shot for attempting to restrain their men in this purpose.

Demoralised Beyond Record

A correspondent states that the Germans in the neighborhood of Le Sars and Faucourt l'Abbaye were demoralised beyond record. The British troops assailing the enemy's positions had surprising alterations of fortune, owing to the collapse of the Germans. One battalion had five casualties in crossing a quarter-mile of open country to occupy some strong trenches.

The German division which was most demoralised had just come from Armentieres, where the dug-outs are deep and life easy and found the Somme a desperate change. Prisoners say that, owing to the British cannonade, the Germans have no time or inclination to extricate comrades buried by shell-burst. Even men with their heads out die where they are.

The British suffered enough to demoralise any troops, advancing over a smooth slope, exposed not only to a storm of shell, but also to the enemy's deadly snipers, yet, such is their coolness and confidence in the British artillery, that their losses were comparatively light. A large unit which has taken eleven lines of trenches in the past few weeks and advanced two and a half miles remains a splendid fighting force, ready for anything.

Captured Zeppelin Practically Intact

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, October 7.—Reuter's representative has visited the Zeppelin captured in Essex on the 23rd of last month. Barring external injuries to the aluminium trellis inevitable to the descent of the monstrous machine, the Zeppelin is practically intact. It is still under close examination by experts, who are studying every detail.

There are four gondolas, one of which contains three engines and the others one each. The engines are each 240 horse-power. The Captain's cabin, with all the controls, including the bomb-dropping one and the adjacent wireless-room, which is enclosed in cotton-wool, are uninjured.

NEW YORK PROTEST

(Ostasiatische Lloyd War Service)

New York, October 6.—At a mass meeting, called here by the National Workmen's Committee, representing 500,000 workers, the British attempt to deport Russian and Rumanian refugees from England, unless they join the British army, was denounced as infamous. The speakers charged Russia and Rumania with backing up this measure, as they desire to regain a hold on these political refugees.

The speakers demanded that the American Government, in the interest of humanity, should protest against this plan.

Mail Notices

MAILS CLOSE

For Japan:—
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Hakuai Maru Oct. 10
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Kumano Maru Oct. 12
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Chikuzen M. Oct. 12
Per R.V.F. s.s. Simbirsk .....Oct 13

For U.S., Canada, and Europe:—
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Shidzuoka M Oct 16
Per P.M. s.s. Ecuador .....Oct. 17
Per R.M. s.s. E. of Russia Nov. 3

For Europe, via Suez:—
Per P. and O. s.s. Novara Oct. 16
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Kamakura M. Oct. 19
Per P. and O. s.s. Nore .....Oct. 30

Mails to Arrive:—

The American mail is due to arrive here on or about October 11, per N.Y.K. s.s. Kamakura Maru.

The French mail of September 3 is due at Hongkong on October 10, and here on October 14. Left Haiphong on October 8 per M.M. s.s. Magellan.

The French mail of September 17 is due at Hongkong on October 24, and here on October 27. Left Port Said on September 24 per M.M. s.s. Atlantique.

TURKISH BULLETINS

(Ostasiatische Lloyd War Service)

Official Turkish telegram.—Turkish headquarters, October 5.—Euphrates theater.—British troops, camping near Nassarihie, attempted to advance, under cover of their artillery, against the Elaziredi tribe, north of Nassarihie, but were repulsed. On September 24, one of our aviators shot down a British aeroplane on the Felahie front.

Caucasus theater.—Strong enemy reconnoitering detachments have been repulsed.

South Rumanian theater.—On October 1, in an engagement north of Amuzacea, the enemy suffered a severe defeat. One battalion was completely annihilated. The surviving two officers and 100 men were made prisoners by us.

ENTENTE LOSE 800,000

(Ostasiatische Lloyd War Service)

New York, October 6.—According to a telegram from Berlin to the New York American, the well-known military critic, Major Moraht, discussing the Entente's offensive on the Somme, says that the Entente paid for their conquest of Combles, some other villages and six hamlets with casualties amounting to 700,000 to 800,000 men. Referring to Lloyd George's public boast that Russia would fight until death, Moraht gives figures which show that the Russian casualties since the beginning of the summer offensive on all the eastern battle fronts total the stupefying figure of one million officers and men. This figure does not even include their recent heavy losses in the Transylvanian Alps and in the Dobrudja, Armenia and Persia.

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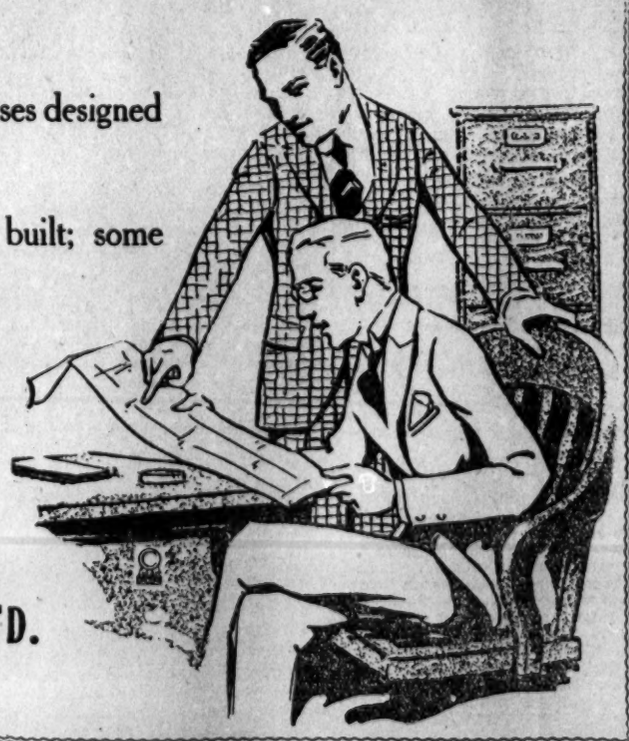

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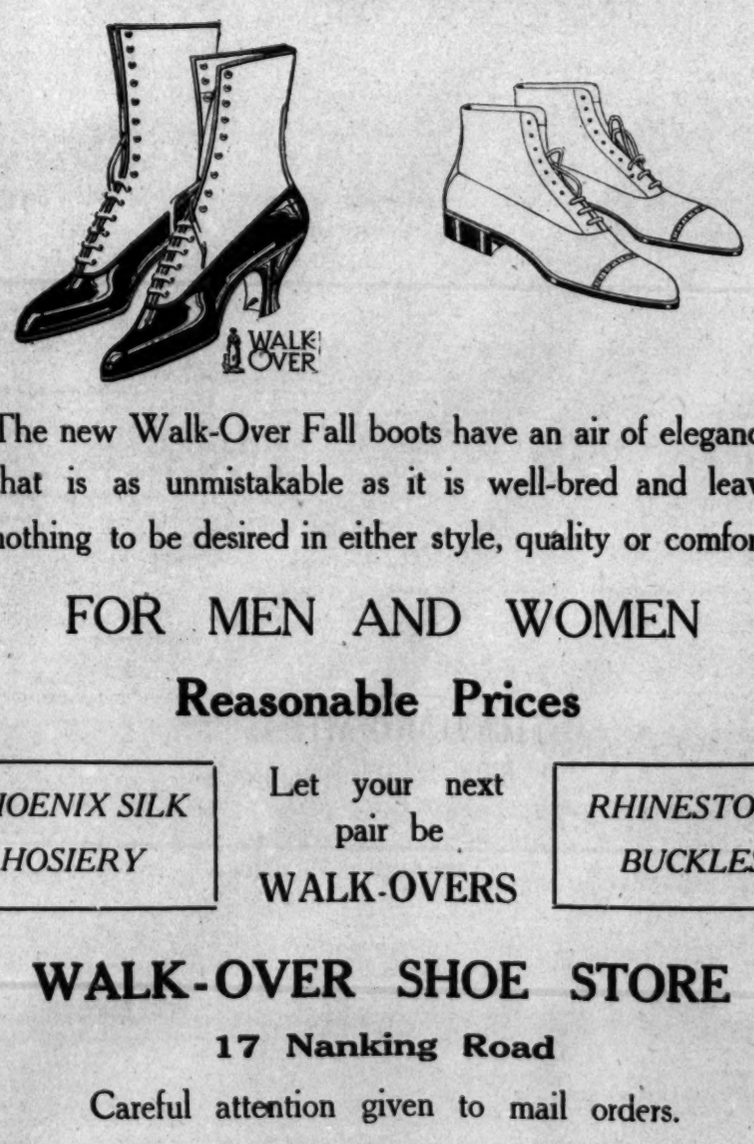

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GEN. VON ARNIM ADMITS SUPERIORITY OF BRITISH

'Physique and Training in Their Favor'; Tells of German Army's Shortcomings

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, October 6.—Reuter's correspondent at British headquarters in France quotes passages from a voluminous report compiled by General von Arnim, commanding the 4th German Army Corps, upon the lessons of the battle of the Somme. The report was captured by our troops.

It says: "The British infantry have learned much since the offensive last Autumn and show great dash in attack. The British also have physique and training in their favor. It was most striking how the enemy assembled and brought large bodies of troops into the zone of fire.

"Moreover, the skill with which the British rapidly consolidated their positions must be acknowledged. The British infantry show great tenacity in defence, especially in the case of small parties, which it is difficult to drive out of the corner of a wood or from a group of houses."

General von Arnim also pays a tribute to the highly methodical and accurate work of the British artillery, which is assisted by well-organised aerial observation. "The intensity of the British gun-fire has made the selection of battery positions difficult and, finally, it has been found best to select concealed sites in open country."

General von Arnim explains the necessity of holding the front trenches lightly, with good men and machine-guns, supports to be ready as close as possible to the foremost line, to rush up and re-inforce it. He expatiates on the insufficiency of supplies, munitions, transport and food.

Military Railways Chief For Allies

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, October 7.—Official:—Sir Eric Geddes, who was formerly in the railway service in India, has been appointed Director-General of Military Railways. He will act as Deputy Quartermaster-General in matters affecting the transport services and will also direct and organise such services in France, under General Sir Douglas Haig.

ALLIES' CONGRATULATIONS

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Peking, October 6.—The following official communique from Petrograd, dated October 5, has been handed to Reuter's Agency by the Russian Legation:—In view of the steady and highly successful advance of the Anglo-French armies towards the line Peronne-Bapaume, His Imperial Majesty the Supreme Commander of the Russian armies sent the following telegrams:—

To His Majesty King George.—I cannot abstain from sending to Your Majesty and your valiant army my hearty congratulations on their magnificent work accomplished during the last great battle on the River Somme.

To the President of the French Republic.—Please accept an expression of my joy and admiration for the great success obtained by the French armies on the River Somme.

In answer to these greetings, His Imperial Majesty the Tsar received the following telegrams:—

From His Majesty King George.—In the name of my army and myself, I convey to Your Majesty my hearty thanks for your amiable congratulations on the success obtained by my army conjointly with our brave Allies, the French.

From the President of the French Republic.—I heartily thank Your Majesty for your congratulations, by which the French army will be deeply moved and I pray Your Majesty to convey once more to the valiant Russian army an expression of my admiration.

Underground Fortress For Chilly's Defence

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(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, October 6.—Reuter's representative with the French army, describing the wonderful catacombs at Chilly, says that they were forty feet down and could shelter thousands of troops. Their elaborateness showed that the Germans regarded the place as indispensable as a flanking-post for Chaulnes.

The main passage underground, in places, was six feet wide, the walls being solidly supported with timber and iron. Big ventilation pipes kept the air moving by means of an electric motor. Electric light and bells were installed throughout and, when the French arrived, the Bosches were installing a drainage system.

The French swept over the whole place in a single wave, subsequently inducing the men underground to surrender.

Shipping Bulletins

Captain Sinclair, formerly of the C.N. s.s.. Chefoo, is at present in Shanghai to inspect, and, if satisfied, purchase and take delivery of a 3,500 tons steamer from Singapore on behalf of a Newchang firm. Captain Sinclair formerly commanded the s.s. Chefoo from Shanghai to Newchang and Lungkou.

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The Osaka Shosen Kaisha, which chartered the s.s. Shimpo Maru, of Dalny, has now contracted to charter the s.s. Ide Maru for one year at the rate of Yen 12 per ton d. w. for the trans-Pacific service. She will be despatched from Shanghai for Tacoma, etc., on October 15. The American Trading Company are the local agents.

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The following are the latest movements of Japanese steamers now engaged in steamship services in the Mediterranean, of which there are only ten. They are all under foreign charter, and the undermentioned are under charter to the French Government and are each covered with abnormally stiff war insurance:—s.s. Shigizan Maru, from Taku left Port Said on September 12 for Marseilles, (carrying Chinese laborers); s.s. Yeitai Maru, left Port Said on September 7 for Marseilles; s.s. Taikosan Maru, was expected to leave Vladivostock for Marseilles a few days ago.

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Incoming vessels report encountering very bad weather and heavy seas. The C.N. s.s. Yochow ran into a heavy monsoon which delayed her passage for a considerable time.

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The C.N. s.s. Hsin Peking reports the s.s. Daininggenzan Maru to be aground off Sian-Yu Island, outside Chinhai.

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The C.N. s.s. Tatung reports the s.s. Ningpo ashore below Beaver Island.

CASSEL TO BENCH

Reuter's Service

London, October 6.—Official.—Captain Felix Cassel, K. C., M. P. for St. Pancras (West), has been appointed Judge Advocate-General.

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EMPIRE RECONSTRUCTION IS URGED UPON BRITAIN

Colonial Leaders Want India And Egypt Represented In After-War Council

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, October 6.—The Daily Mail publishes the views of leaders in the Dominions on the Empire after the war. It says that opinion is unanimous that the Motherland should move now in the direction of the reconstruction of the Empire.

The High Commissioner for South Africa and the Agent-General for Tasmania consider that India and Egypt should be specially represented, along with the Dominions and Colonies, in the conference after the war.

RAID BULGARIAN COAST

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, October 7.—An Admiralty communique describes a series of naval aeroplane attacks made on the coast of Bulgaria from the 13th to the 23rd of last month. These included the bombing of the Bulgarian Divisional Headquarters at Dademli, after which the headquarters was removed, but was again discovered three days later and again bombed, resulting in a great explosion and fire. Other aeroplanes bombed transport columns, troops on the march, stations, railways and other points of military importance.

WAR PENSIONS INQUIRY

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, October 6.—It is understood that the Cabinet has appointed a committee to inquire into the whole question of war pensions and their administration.

SOOCHOW LITERARY ASSN.

Special Correspondence of The China Press

Soochow, October 7.—The first regular monthly meeting of the Soochow Literary Association was held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wolcott. Dr. W. H. Park read a very interesting and instructive paper on the subject of "Alcoholism and its effects in China."

The program for the year promises some more very valuable papers. It is as follows:—

The Soochow Business World, by Mr. H. G. Curran.

A Survey of Present Educational Work in Soochow, by Miss Lanneau.

Fishes and Fishermen of Kiangsu, by Dr. Davis.

Folklore of China, by Miss Lattimore.

Evangelistic Methods in and about Soochow, by Miss White.

The Temples of Soochow, by Mr. Brinkley,

Musicale, planned by Mrs. Nance.

The Chinese Theater, by Mr. Williams.

Obituary

Dr. Jas. Burgess

Reuter's Service

London, October 7.—The death is announced of Dr. James Burgess, C.I.E.

IRISH RECRUITING

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, October 7.—The papers comment on Mr. John Redmond's speech at Waterford according to their political views. Some are disappointed and disgusted, while others denounce conscription for Ireland as an insane proposal, declaring that the Irish Unionists have no sympathy with the idea.

It is noteworthy that The Times, which describes Mr. Redmond's speech as conciliatory, says that "we have no wish to press compulsion unduly on Ireland at present, but we are entitled to ask Mr. Redmond for proof of the truth of his confidence in the success of voluntary enlistment and a limit should be set for the time allowed for voluntary recruiting." The Times understands that the Government has taken no decision on the question of recruiting in Ireland and the Irish Executive favors an immediate recruiting campaign.

17-Year-Old Germans Summoned for Service

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Amsterdam, October 8.—The German military authorities are calling up youths 17 years old for military service.

WEEK-END FIRES

The Brigade were summoned at 7.30 p.m. on Sunday to an outbreak reported by telephone message by a Chinese, stating it to be in the vicinity of Kaifeng Road. Companies Nos. 2 and 7 immediately turned out, and on arrival it was found that an iron chimney of a silk filature, in No. 1 Alabaster Road had been on fire, but the mill hands had extinguished it before the Brigade's arrival.

Shortly after midnight Sunday the Hongkew Bell Tower sounded an alarm, and companies 1, 2 and 4 turned out in the direction of East Yalu Road. In the meantime, information was received from the Police stating the fire to be well beyond the Settlement Boundary, therefore the Brigade returned. It was learnt that a straw hut was on fire.

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Busaalta Peak Taken By Italian Alpinists

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Rome, October 7.—An official communique reports: Our Alpinists captured Busaalta Peak, 8,187 feet high, at the head of Vanoi Valley, practically annihilating the strongly entrenched enemy. Twenty survivors were captured.

BRITISH TRADE

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, October 7.—During the month of September, the imports into the British Isles showed an increase of £7,000,000 and the exports £11,000,000, as compared with the same period last year. For the first nine months of 1916, the increase of imports totalled £60,000,000 and exports £96,000,000, as compared with the same period last year.

Floods in Australia After 2 Weeks' Rain

Reuter's Service

Sydney, October 8.—A rain-storm which has lasted for a fortnight has ended. 27 inches of rain have fallen at Ulladulla, while the general average rainfall in the Riverina wheat areas was four inches.

Melbourne, October 8.—20,000 acres in eastern Victoria are flooded.

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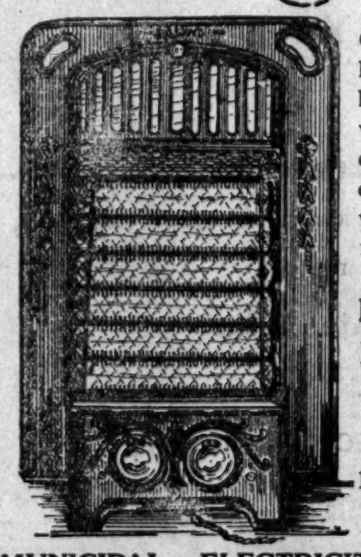

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U. S. Consul on Committee Charging Rumanian Horrors

Harrowing Recital by Sofia Newspaperman of Dobrudja Scenes; Fremdenblatt Accuses Russians

(Ostasiatische Lloyd War Service)

The Deutsche Ueberseedienst reports: Berlin, October 5.—The Sofia correspondent of the Frankfurter Zeitung now reports about the investigation of the Rumanian atrocities in the Dobrudja, made by the Charge d'Affaires of the United States, Marfield, and several correspondents. The towns of Dobric, Balthik, and Silistria and the surroundings, were investigated.

The correspondent writes: "Everywhere during our trip through towns and country, we saw on the faces of the inhabitants the pathetic expression of terror, caused by the atrocities. Everywhere, we followed the traces of assassination and incendiarism and everywhere we heard the same complaint about loss of life and property. All previous reports about atrocities, without exception, were proved to be correct on investigation.

"Entire villages were destroyed by fire and large quantities of corn were lost. People of all classes were carried off, partly by using violence, partly by false promises. Men of all classes were arrested haphazard in the streets and were shot. The prettiest girls were driven into the Rumanian trenches, where they were first raped and then murdered.

"This we could especially ascertain in the neighborhood of Silistria. Children and women were locked up in houses and then either burnt to death or shot. It has been proved that the Rumanians ravaged the country in an indescribable way, upon the direct order of their superiors."

The correspondent further states that, in July, the Rumanians began the systematic confiscation of draught and other animals. They forbade imports and seized victuals.

"Thus already, when war was declared, 25,000 people, with the same number of carts filled with victuals, were removed from the New Dobrudja. The people were told that they should deliver their victuals to the Rumanian authorities against payment. The fate of these victims is unknown.

"In the Dobrudja, we saw in former railway buildings traces of the massacres which occurred on August 30. On August 29, sixty men who had been arrested in the streets were imprisoned and on the following day all were shot. In the village of Mastradin, north of Dobric, the Rumanians murdered 38 Bulgarians and 30 Turks and carried off 64 other men.

"The large village of Karalez, north of Dobric, resembles a desert. The village of Baladya, south of Dobric, is a heap of ruins. Of 130 houses only 20 are undamaged. In the hospitals at Dobric we saw many severely wounded civilians who told atrocious particulars of the massacres.

"Matters are still worse in the region of Silistria, where the villages of Kalipetrovo, Aidemi, Serborna and Babuk are entirely destroyed and only smouldering ruins are left. There, even women and children were shot, or locked up in houses and then burnt to death, after the girls had been raped.

"The number of civilian inhabitants in the Dobrudja carried off, killed and wounded is estimated to be about 60,000. Up to September 20, in the Dobric district alone, 2,500 people from 69 villages were registered as missing."

The correspondent finally states that everybody in the Dobrudja knows that these atrocities were considered only as a prologue to the real massacres, which had been planned by the Rumanians, but which were prevented by the prompt advance of the Bulgarian army.

Charges Against Russians

The Vienna paper Fremdenblatt publishes detailed reports about the atrocities committed by the Russians in Asiatic Turkey. In the province of Bitlis, emigrants, wandering from Murihisufia to the capital, were surrounded by Cossacks and massacred. About one hundred orphan children, left at Bitlis, were all killed. The inhabitants of the villages of Pezintan and Simersheikh were tortured and butchered.

In the province of Erzeroum, about 2,000 Mohammedans were carried off from a passenger train and massacred. In the village of Suriudsch, old people were burnt alive and children were killed. The mosques are destroyed.

In Ashikali, Ilidscha, and Tekidsh, the Mohammedan clergy and other people, numbering about one hundred, were murdered. In the districts of Tavasdkerde and Artvin, more than 4,000 people were killed. In the province of Van, more than 400 refugees were massacred. The Governor-General, Dshevdetbei, when leaving, found thousands of corpses of women and children. In the town of Van, women and children were tortured in an unspeakable way before they were murdered.

In the villages of the district of Mahmudi, more than 2,000 women and children were butchered. In the villages of Ashkagi and Haniss, 500 people were burnt alive. In the villages Adshur, Agans, Bogdashan, Karagansh and Temat, not a single human being is still alive. 300 refugees from Mikush and 300 Jews fleeing from Hetkari were massacred. 800 soldiers were burnt alive in the hospitals.

The number of massacred people between Vustan and Askil amounts to 12,000. In the province of Trapezunt the inhabitants of the village of Akascheabus were burnt alive. In the town of Vartu, in the province of Erzeroum, more than 500 people were massacred, the women in an unspeakable way. The reports mention a large number of towns and villages which were also the scene of atrocities.

GERMAN WAR LOAN

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Amsterdam, October 8.—An official telegram from Berlin states that the results of the 5th war loan show total subscriptions of 10,590,000,000 Marks. The total of foreign subscriptions has not yet been received.

British Fund for Sick And Wounded to Make Special Appeal Oct. 19

The British Red Cross Society, founded in 1908, has been actively engaged, both at home and abroad, in relieving wounded sailors and soldiers, including the Colonial forces, and also, where expedient, those of the Allies as well. Since the outbreak of the war over £1,000,000 has been expended in France and Flanders; in the Mediterranean area over £200,000; and about £350,000 in Great Britain.

The activities of the Society are manifold, including the supply of motor ambulances, hospital trains, numerous hospitals, hospital-stores depots, rest-stations, and convalescent homes and camps. The good work goes on, but funds are running low, and the Central Committee in London, while acknowledging the generous support which the Society has all along received, are now making a further appeal for additional subscriptions.

In a letter received by Mr. Herbert Phillips, H. B. M. Consul, the Chairman, Sir Charles Russell, says: "Our Day will be celebrated again this year throughout the British Empire on October 19. This appeal to all British subjects to help the sick and wounded met with such a ready response last year that we are confident that we may again rely upon the generosity of the Empire to help us to meet the ever increasing demands upon our resources.

"Their Majesties, the King and Queen have graciously given their approval and patronage to the appeal.

"My object in writing to you is to ask whether you, as His Britannic Majesty's Consul, would kindly consent to organise a simultaneous appeal throughout your jurisdiction. The best mode of appeal must vary according to the place and circumstances, and you, of course, are best judge of the method best suited to the country in which you reside. We do not therefore offer you any suggestions on this head.

"I need scarcely say that any contribution you are able to send us as the result of such an appeal will be gratefully received and acknowledged in the Times."

A small committee has accordingly been formed in Shanghai consisting of Messrs. Campbell Henderson and Cecil Holliday representing the Overseas Club, and Messrs. George Lanning and Allan G. Mossop representing the Patriotic League, with Mr. Phillips as Chairman. Details of the arrangements which these gentlemen are making, we are informed, will be announced in a few days.

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BOSTON RED SOX WIN FIRST IN WORLD SERIES

Defeat Brooklyn in the Opening Game By Score of Six To Five

Special Cable to The China Press

New York, October 7.—The American League scored first blood today in the opening game of the series between it and the National League for the World's Baseball Championship. The Boston Red Sox, representing the American League and the Brooklyn "Robins," champions of the National League, are the contending teams. The score today was 6 to 5. The second game will be played on Monday. The first team to win four games will be victor in the series.

Lawn Tennis

Junior Golf Club v. Wayside

There was a close finish to the game between these clubs played on the courts at Hongkew Park on Sunday, the golfers winning by three games. The results were:—

N. Bowey and C. McGillivray (Wayside) beat P. B. Critchley and A. Braid, 6-4, 6-1.

G. S. Clark and P. Campbell (Wayside) beat C. Richards and S. Chilvers, 3-6, 6-3, 8-6.

J. Quayle and W. T. Bisset beat J. S. Milne and P. Isherwood (Wayside), 3-6, 6-3, 7-5.

G. B. Stormes and J. Cox beat A. A. Malcolm and C. Matthews (Wayside), 6-2, 6-2.

S. C. C. Tournament

The S. C. C. tournament on Sunday proved a great success. Nineteen couples entered and play continued throughout the whole day. The first five were:—

Wilson and Dunlop (61 games.)
Field and Toeg (60 games.)
Hawkings and Stagg (59 games.)
Wilson and Cooper (59 games.)
Clark and Campbell (59 games.)

Messrs. Gorton and Grimshaw were awarded the booby prize.

Over $70 was netted for war funds.

Race Entries

Entries for the Autumn meeting of the Shanghai Race Club closed on Saturday evening. They show an increase in almost every race as compared with last year's meeting. The Leger has brought forward thirty-four ponies. The entries are as follows:—

First Day, 6th November

	1915	1916
1.—The Maloo Plate	20	15
2.—The Criterion Stakes	28	26
3.—The Maiden Stakes	21	28
4.—The Fah-wah Stakes	27	24
5.—The Navy Stakes	19	—
The Subscription Griffin Stakes	—	55
6.—The Shanghai St. Leger	22	24
7.—The Eclipse Stakes	23	22
8.—The Autumn Cup	40	47
9.—The Whangpoo Stakes	17	21
10.—The Kalgan Plate	—	55

Second Day, 7th November

	1915	1916
1.—The Northern Cup	35	40
2.—The China Cup	27	26
3.—The Shanghai Stakes	33	47
4.—The Pagoda Cup	19	52
5.—The Llama Miau Stakes	26	37
6.—The Rubicon Plate	20	21
7.—The Racing Stakes	32	40
8.—The Sycee Stakes	32	26
9.—The Siccawei Plate	38	45
10.—The Mongolian Plate	—	55

Third Day, 8th November

	1915	1916
1.—The Flyaway Plate	41	45
2.—The Grand Stand Stakes	25	28
3.—The Pari-mutuel Cup	38	40
4.—The Jockey Cup	24	23
5.—The Consolation Cup	43	58
6.—The Cosmopolitan Cup	19	—
The Sub-Griffins' Handicap	—	55
7.—The Champion Sweepstakes	—	—
8.—The Manchu Stakes	25	25
9.—The Nil Desperandum Cup	41	64

Off Day, 11th November

The Grand National Steeplechase	19	17
The Autumn Handicap	42	33
The Griffins' Handicap	—	26

Artillery Shoot

The October Monthly Cup Competition of the S.V.C. Artillery was held at the Rifle Range, on Sunday, at 6.30 a.m. Conditions: 1st class figure targets and scoring. The following are the results:—

"A" Class:
Q.-M. Sgt. Rose 22*
2nd Lieut. Stewart 21
Gnr. F. Ward 13
* 2nd win on cup and winner of spoon.

"B" Class:
Gnr. Barnes 24*
Gnr. Cranfield 24
Gnr. Taylor 19
Bdr. Scriven 17
Gnr. Danson 16
* 2nd win on cup and winner of spoon.

"C" Class:
Sgt. Stuart 23*
Gnr. Yates 18
Cpl. Welman 16
Gnr. Watton 13
Gnr. George 11
Gnr. Payne 6
* 1st win on cup and winner of spoon.

Scouting Notes

By Tracker

October 10 (today) bids fair to be a great day for the people of the youngest Republic amongst nations and, as is only right and proper, the scouts have been allotted a part in the celebrations. All the troops in the Shanghai Division will parade at the Hsi Men Fang Pei Ch'iao, at 8.15 a.m. and from there will march with their band to the parade ground kindly lent by the Kiangsu Board of Education, there to salute the flag and afterwards to be inspected by H. E. Yang Tcheng, the Special Envoy.

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This is the first time the Scouts of China have had the opportunity of being inspected by a Chinese official and we look forward to it being the first of very many. Now boys, as this inspection is the first time we have had the chance to show ourselves, make a good show and let the officials of the Chinese City know what scouting has done for you, both physically and mentally.

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At Fuh Tan College, the scouts have quite a full program. At 3.15 p.m., the national flag will be saluted by the troops present and, after the ceremony is over, there will be sports for everybody. Egg and spoon races, sack races and tug-of-war are the principal items on the program and I feel certain that every scout will butt in and make a few honors for his troop.

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The 7th Troop are arranging to have fireworks in the evening, together with a drama which is to last two nights.

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The 9th Troop are hot stuff at Soccer. The match on Saturday afternoon was with a mixed team of the 7th and 11th, resuling in a win for the 9th troop by 9 goals to one.

Revolver Club

The annual Shanghai revolver Championship Competition which is open to all comers, offers an excellent opportunity to others than members that are interested in this useful sport to test their skill. The club's range is open to all persons during the month of October only. Revolvers and ammunition supplied at the range. The prizes are 1st gold medal, 2nd silver medal, 3rd silver medal, 4th bronze medal. Bronze medals for scores of 375. Following were the 3 highest scores 1914 and 1915:

1914:

Thomas Freeman	402*
Lieut. Com. Q. Preston Thomas	398
Capt. W. E. Sauer	390

1915:

Dr. S. A. Ransom	389*
Dr. R. J. Marshall	373
Isaac Ezra (Tie)	369
C. T. Tarratt "	369
H. P. S.	500

* Championship class, may compete for bronze medals only.

S. V. C. Orders

Corps Orders by Major T. E. Trueman, Commandant, S.V.C., Headquarters, 15 Canton Road, Shanghai. October 9, 1916.

65. The Commandant regrets to announce the death of Private Ting Shih-ge of the Chinese Company.

The funeral will take place tomorrow (Tuesday) at the Ningpo Cemetery off Siccawei Road.

The O. C. Artillery will detail a gun carriage with team and the O. C. Chinese Company, the firing party.

The gun carriage and firing party and band will be at the French Police Station, Poste de l'Est at the end of Marche de l'Est, ready to move off at 9 a.m.

Dress.—Church Parade order, the firing party only will carry rifles.

Unclaimed Cablegrams

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3rd—Tacktai; Tainan.
5th—1795, 5281, 2490; Dairen.
5th—Taanchan, c/o Yungshingpoa; Foochow.

BRITAIN WANTS MEN

(Ostasiatische Lloyd War Service)

The Deutsche Ueberseedienst reports: New York, October 5.—A significant light is thrown by two telegrams from London on the British losses in their futile efforts to break through the German front on the Somme and on the waning feeling of confidence on the part of the Allies with regard to the outcome of the war. According to one of the messages, the Man Power Distribution Board, which was recently appointed to comb out men eligible for military service, announced that Britain is in urgent need of men, for her armies as well as for munition factories.

The other telegram states that General Robertson, the Chief of the British General Staff of the Army headquarters, said, in the course of a speech in Lincolnshire, that, while the Allies were winning the war slowly but surely, he wished to emphasize the necessity of procuring more men for the army and for the munition factories. In this connection he said that he had the serious word of warning to give that Britain was not justified in expecting to win the war unless the services of every man and woman in the country were utilized to the fullest extent, that one should not be under a delusion with regard to the probable duration of the struggle and should be prepared for the war to last for a time which can at present not be estimated.

In fact, Britain had to prepare for the worst. While he hoped that the best had been done by adopting in theory the principle of national service, the country had to see to it that it was put into practice, because more men are wanted and are wanted now. Eventually, all men who could possibly be spared would be required.

The newspapers are broadly discussing the telegram from London, describing Britain's urgent need of men for the army and the munition factories. They state that the proposition to enforce conscription in Ireland has been put forth with renewed vigor and has the powerful support of Sir Edward Carson. Britain is confronted once more with a crisis over the Irish question. The Nationalists assert that Ireland will be a united nation in her resistance to compulsion.

PREMIERS FOR FRONT

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, October 7.—The Rt. Hon. F. W. Massey, Premier of New Zealand, and the former Premier, the Rt. Hon. Sir Joseph Ward, have arrived in London, via the Panama Canal, to visit the front in France.

IS THIS YOU ?

Some people live in an eternal gloom. They believe themselves to be the object of all the vexations that beset mankind. Petty grievances and trivial troubles rasp and irritate beyond endurance. They magnify little annoyances that would pass by other people, with stronger nerves, unnoticed.

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News Brevities

The Chinese arrested several weeks ago near the New World Restaurant with a bomb in his possession was placed on trial in the Mixed Court yesterday. The case was remanded after the evidence had been heard. At the time of his arrest the defendant explained that he was waiting for an enemy to leave the place and that he intended to kill him.

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Major C. P. Holcomb, U. S. Attorney for China, and Mrs. Holcomb and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jefferson of Warren, Pa., left yesterday for a houseboat trip up the Yangtsze.

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Lieut. Lionel Vincent, second son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Vincent of Yokohama, was killed in action in France on October 2 according to word received here from Mrs. Vincent who is visiting in Bath. Lieut. Vincent went to England with the Yokohama contingent in December, 1914. He enlisted with the Tenth Royal Fusiliers. He remained in the trenches as a private until June of this year when he entered the Officers' Training Corps. He received his commission last month in the Twelfth Battalion of the Gloucester Regiment. He was 23 years old. A brother, Stanley Vincent, is a captain in the Warwicks.

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The case of Hip Foong Hong against Neotia and Co. was stricken from the docket yesterday in H.M.'s Court following the failure of the plaintiffs to appear in court. Mr. D. McNeill appeared for the defense.

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Judgment was reserved in H.M.'s Full Court yesterday in the suit of the Chartered Bank versus the trustees of A. Simmons reviewed before Sir H. de Sausmarez, chief judge, and Mr. Skinner Turner, assistant judge. Mr. R. N. Macleod appeared for the Bank and Mr. G. H. Wright for the trustees. At a previous hearing of the case the court was hampered by the absence of evidence which had been reviewed by the Tientsin Court. The questions in fact were presented to the court yesterday.

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Among the passengers who arrived from Japan on the M.M. s.s. Paul Lecat were:—Mrs. Rizaieff, Mrs. Crighton and 2 children, Mrs. Hoehn and 2 children, Mr. McBain and family, Mr. and Mrs. Levy and 2 children, Mr. Hanbury, Mr. and Mrs. Middleton and 2 children, Mr. Hynd, Miss Gubbay, Mr. and Mrs. Morducovitch and child, Mr. and Mrs. Hogg, Mr. and Mrs. Platt, Mrs. E. Purcell and 3 children, Mrs. Carre and 3 children, Mr. and Mrs. Algar and 2 children, and Mr. and Mrs. Nissim.

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Among those who arrived from Dalny and Tsingtau on the S.M.R. s.s. Sakaki Maru were:—Mrs. E. C. Ritter and child, Mr. R. A. Donaldson, Mr. T. P. Main, and Mrs. K. A. Charton and child.

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Messrs. Arthur and Bond, of Yokohama, are opening today at the Astor House Hotel, and Mrs. Arthur and Miss Male Ellis will show a fine line of silk embroideries, gowns, underwear, kimonos, and all the other dainty things dear to the feminine heart. A department for purely masculine requisites, more especially shirts, is in charge of Mr. Nakamura. An announcement will be found on page 4 of this issue.

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Mr. Samuel Hill, who visited the Far East a few months ago, has established a Russo-American association at Seattle with the object of improving the commercial relations between the two countries. For this purpose, the sum of $2,500,000 has been invested and Mr. Hill has urged the U. S. Government to establish an American consulate at Vladivostok.

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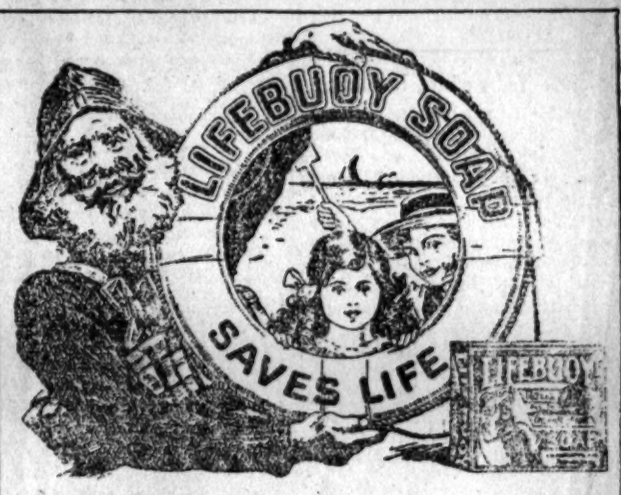

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WEATHER

Gloomy and misty weather at least during the whole morning on our coasts. Bad weather sides of the Philippines.

BIRTH

October 7.—To Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Walker, St. John's University, twin sons.

IMPARTIAL AND PROGRESSIVE

SHANGHAI, OCTOBER 10, 1916

Five Years of the Republic

CHINA is en fete today. It is the fifth anniversary of the founding of the Republic. At this time last year the monarchical menace hung over the young Republic to such an extent that in many places the celebration of the day was absolutely forbidden and in others it was frowned upon to such an extent that all the spirit was taken out of it. And two years before that the Republic was just recovering from the Kuomintang uprising against Yuan Shih-k'ai. Besides these happenings there have been floods and famines, the Japanese demands of January, 1915, and the war in Europe.

The Republic has weathered them all. In fact with the coming into power of President Li Yuan-hung, the convening of Parliament and the settlement of the Kwangtung and Shantung troubles things in China had begun to assume a substantially hopeful aspect. Then along came the Hsuchow cabal headed by General Chang Hsun and a portion of the Northern military clique. This group of generals has constituted a serious menace not only to the peace of the country but to the Republic itself.

Developments of the last few days however would seem to indicate that the Republic will emerge from this crisis even stronger than it was before these generals took it upon themselves to dictate to the President, Cabinet and Parliament how the government should be conducted. The intrigues at Hsuchow have led to the fear being expressed in some quarters of an attempt at a coup d'etat in Peking today but President Li's determination to go through with the review of the troops and Premier Tuan's firm attitude make it probable that nothing of this sort will be attempted. On the whole we are still disposed to be hopeful. We should experience this emotion in a much stronger degree, however, could we feel assured that there will be no repetition of this Hsuchow folly from that or some other quarter.

One thing may be said with certainty: Today's anniversary will be celebrated more widely, more enthusiastically and more elaborately than ever before. And there will be more sentiment and more spirit in it.

THE CHINA PRESS is observing the anniversary by issuing a special Commemoration Number in colors for circulation among the Chinese not only in China, but throughout the world. President Li Yuan-hung has been kind enough to write the introductory article which together with a new photograph showing him in his presidential togs appears on the first page.

Various interesting and important articles follow, including several from members of the cabinet, and one from the brilliant pen of Liang Chi-chiao, who is generally regarded as the foremost living Chinese writer. The work of the Y.M.C.A. in China is reviewed by David Z. T. Yui and the huge campaign of the Joint Council on Public Health Education (organized by the National Medical Association, the China Medical Missionary Association and the Y.M.C.A.) is described by Dr. W. W. Peter. Prof. H. A. Vanderbeek, of the Government Institute of Technology, contributes a special article on engineering in China, studied from various viewpoints; and, notwithstanding the war and the consequent reactions out here, especially with regard to shortage of goods, the number has met with ready support from a large number of advertisers.

Rhapsody

When all is cooked and all is eaten,
There is one pie that can't be beaten;
When all is said and all is thunken,
There is no pie that equals pumpkin.

The Death Rate in This War

By Woods Hutchinson, M.D.

There is nothing new about this war, not even in point of deadliness. In spite of the much boasted military efficiency with which it is conducted, it takes as much lead to kill a man, namely, his own weight, and five times as much powder as it ever did before. Man's ingenuity in protecting himself seems to have almost exactly kept pace with his skill in devising new and horrible instruments of destruction, while the profession which devotes itself to saving human life has actually got well ahead of the one which specializes in destroying it. Man, the killer, is still the stupidest of all human incarnations and phases. All the "improvements" in methods of warfare—gunpowder, explosive shells, steam battleships, aeroplanes, submarines, telephones, etc.—have been invented by peaceful civilian chemists, professor persons and the like. If it had been left to the fighters themselves, the professional soldiers and militarists, we should still be fighting with clubs and stone axes.

When the present calamity first broke loose and the earth fairly shook with the tramp of the millions marching into battle line, and our affrighted imagination could almost hear across the Atlantic the thunder of the Krupps and Creusots and the rumble of the siege trains, we hailed it in advance with bated breath as the bloodiest and most destructive in all history. With cannons that can hurl death twenty miles, heaving a projectile weighing a ton, which smashes through fourteen feet of solid concrete and blows a hole in the ground the size of a house when it explodes, it looked as if any army which had the temerity to stand in front of them would be simply blown off the face of the earth.

The terrible battle news, which came pouring in from the first week's clash of the armies along their hundred-mile fronts, seemed to justify the shuddering expectation. Deaths by tens of thousands, wounded men by hundreds of thousands blocking the railroads, flooding the hospitals, turning the whole countryside into a charnel house and a stench, filled the columns and the headlines. But gradually as our capacity for horror became exhausted and war by its horrid persistence had compelled us to accept it as a fact of every day life, our stunned and paralyzed sense of proportion came back and we again became capable of thinking in percentages. Even battle, murder and sudden death, which run on factory hours, sixteen a day, day and night shifts, seven days in the week and thirty out of every month, become common-place after a while and a battle, if it lasts long enough, becomes a bore.

When we had got our mathematical breath back after the first shock of dismay and began to consider the casualty lists in proportion to the enormous numbers engaged and the thousand-mile lengths of battle line, we gained a little relief. While the deaths and maimings were still pitiable and heart-rending enough in the mass, their relations to the numbers engaged and to the risk run by each individual soldier and to the ultimate effect upon the nations at war, in respect to decimation or depopulation, were found to be much less serious than we had at first supposed.

It is, of course, impossible yet to speak with positiveness about the deadliness or even the bloodiness of this war, for the obvious reason that the returns are not yet all in. Moreover, such returns as have been published are incomplete, both in range and in form, for of the three grim headings—Killed, Wounded and Missing—it is impossible to say how many of the last will ultimately go to swell the first and how many be found to be in prison camps and what further per cent of the wounded will die.

However, we now know that the percentage of wounded who have survived to be officially reported as such, which will ultimately die, is exceedingly small, not more than two per cent at the outside, and also from the experience of former wars that not more than a fifth of the missing will ultimately turn out to be dead, so that by adding a fifth of the missing and a thirty-fifth of the wounded to the number of known killed we can get a pretty fair approximation to the probable total fatalities. Another discount which, of course, has to be made, is that the lists of casualties reported by each army headquarters may be safely regarded as severely censored and shrunk to the lowest possible minimum which would be thought credible, or which the national spirit could bear at the time. But, fortunately, most of the war offices have been obliging enough, not merely to report their own casualties, but also those of the enemy, and by adding together the numbers of losses admitted by a nation and those estimated by its opponents and dividing the result by two we shall probably come not so very wide of the mark. And by this method, which, of course, is only an estimate, but fairly dependable, we can already draw the unexpected but somewhat consoling conclusion that the actual loss in percentages of numbers engaged, though slightly above that of our own Civil War is well below the death rate of either the Napoleonic or Revolutionary wars.

Honor For Heroes

By Winifred Holt

(President of the American Committee for Men Blinded in Battle)

A soldier of the Phare [Lighthouse] who had given his eyes for the cause of civilization, was to be decorated. At 8.20 o'clock, on a hazy blue July morning, the Gardienne waited at the great iron gate of the invalides for the blind man who was to receive his medals. Through the entrance swarmed as pathetic and interesting a crowd as the war has produced. In war-stained uniforms, men lacking a leg swung their way on crutches. Ambulances followed, the raised curtains giving glimpses of mutilated heroes seated within. In little groups, black-veiled women, little children, and old men flocked in.

The Gardienne could wait no longer, and joined the throng which surged into the court of honor of the Invalides. The large square is surrounded by gray stone architecture. To the left, in bright uniforms, the wounded soldiers were gathered together; the blind, with their nurses, dressed in great blue cloaks, the pretty blue veil, the white band of the Red Cross above the forehead. A legless soldier was seated on a wicker chair. Those whose wounds were not perceptible showed the white band—official indication of injuries received in battle. A few able-bodied soldiers and officers were marked exceptions in the pathetic group.

At the extreme back stood two young men in khaki. Harry Hollingsworth wore his arm in a sling; Jack Wendell, still white and thin, but for the badge of the wounded gave no sign that he, too, had suffered at Verdun, where his life was saved as by a miracle. Both men are volunteers of Richard Norton's Ambulance Corps. That glorious body has been cited by the French Government, under which it carries on its life-saving service. So efficient, so without fear, have these ambulances proved that each of their motors may have affixed to it the Croix de Guerre. Often has this brave corps been under fire.

Americans are glad to think that Charles Eliot Norton, sage and idealist, who wrote in his sunny Cambridge home fairy stories as well as philosophy, should once more champion the noble and lovely things of life, and through his son fight for them again on the soil of France.

The Gardienne found a place beside Mrs. Wendell, mother of the hero, Jack, and stood in an arcade of the gallery looking down on the spectacle.

Drums beat and bugles sounded. Dressed in blue, part of the garrison of the entrenched camp of Paris filed in and took up their position on three sides of the court. Back of them were trophies—cannon, aeroplanes of different kinds and in varying stages of decreptitude—all captured from the Germans. The shady galleries were filled with spectators. In the rear rose the great gilt-tipped dome; beneath it, in the center arch of the "colonnade," looking down on the khaki and the bright red and blue of uniforms, the gold braid and decorations, shining bayonets and swords, stood a colossal bronze statue of Napoleon, head bowed, the figure covered with the dust of the great war which he had never seen.

Again a blast of the bugles. Officers led a group awaiting decorations to the center of the court, under the cloudless sky. It followed in curious military formation. The halt and one-legged walked in as soldierly a manner as they could; the legless man was carried by his two nurses; a blind man was supported on either side by women wearing the uniform of the Red Cross. Preceded by a Zouave and an Arab came the two American boys, white and tall. Wendell carried his head high above the crowd.

They drew up in ranks across the court, Napoleon watching from the background. Facing the group awaiting honors, these heroes of yesterday, was a line of old men carrying banners—the veterans of '70, come to do homage to the veterans of '14-16.

The first men to be decorated were two officers. A French General, arrayed in blue coat, red trousers, and high black puttees, approached. His cap and his uniform were adorned with gold; his breast blazed with gorgeous decorations. His unsheathed sword caught the morning sun as he marched forth and began the ceremony. His brilliant aide read the citation, the General pinned on the decorations, gave the accolade, and touched the heroes with his gleaming sword. All was done with the utmost grace. After decorating each man, the General stepped back, paused, and then made a fresh start, thus holding a new personal ceremony for every soldier.

As this was repeated time after time, a group of people in black stole in, led by an officer. They took up their position to the right of the men being decorated. First came women, then some children, a few stolid, middle-aged men, then a mother carrying a baby; small boys and girls, and, last, an aged man, haggard and wan—the families of those who had fallen on the field of honor. With great dignity the officer appointed to this painful duty gave war medals to those stricken people, shook hands with most of them, and spoke some personal word of sympathy to all. A child of not more than 3, a tiny girl, came forward and received the honor for her dead. It was a sight not to be forgotten when the grizzled General bent over and gallantly took her hand, and she thanked him with her dimunitive dignity. The woman with the baby sleeping on her arm also had the sop for her sorrow—a diploma on parchment commemorating the deeds of her husband, who had never seen his child.

Then the black-clad group again followed the officer and disappeared under the great dome of the Invalides, to inscribe their dead among the immortals.

The last of the waiting heroes came forward. At the end of the line, his feet well apart, his head thrown back, stood Jack Wendell. As the General approached him he drew his feet together, and the military bearing of this tall, pale youth was the equal of any trained soldier in the Invalides. The General parleyed with the American boys, and pinned on their medals with a fellowship which was good to see. The citation of Jack Wendell stated that at Verdun he removed the wounded in full daylight, under intense bombardment, and insisted on their being cared for before himself; that he refused for five hours all aid, and remained with a great piece of shrapnel in his back, awaiting first the rescue of his stricken comrades. With great bravery Hollingsworth had shared Wendell's privilege of service and suffering.

Then came another group of valiant men. In the second column I discovered my blind man. He looked very young, very erect, and I had the impression that he was appreciating the great beauty and the solemnity of the scene around him. I do not know if it was my imagination, but it seemed to me that the good General approached each blind man with unusual sympathy and almost motherly affection. Our man was decorated, and then his little gray-haired father took him by the shoulder, and they went into the Invalides. There his father guided his hand as he wrote his name in the book of the heroes who have fought for France, and that blind man made his mark in history.

The ceremony over, the garrison band swung into a great war march. Its notes brought new strength and faith. The statue of Napoleon seemed to bow its head in recognition of the message of courage. Courage for those whose dearest had fallen on the field of honor, courage for more untold sacrifices to be made for civilization. The music filled the hearts of its listeners and "made their souls realize those great truths which their minds might refuse to believe." The crowd surged forward, following its heroes, "clothed with power through discipline and sacrifice, strong for good by their bitter knowledge of evil."

Under the blue heavens on that July morning, in the great court of the Invalides, inspired by the music, a new fighting force was born. It went forth for its holy war, strengthening men and women, soldiers hale or stricken. It carried high the proud banner of their griefs and losses, nerving them to greater effort, fresh sacrifices for the deliverance of mankind.

Mr. Gelid's Invention

"As I am a cold body," said Mr. Gelid to his friend when they had seated themselves for the journey to their offices, "I suffer greatly these nights out in the country. It is decidedly chilly at bedtime and blankets do not seem to warm me enough.

"When I heard that the Russian motif in clothing fashions had led to the introduction of night attire trimmed with fur I was delighted. But after wearing a fur trimmed suit of pajamas I came to the conclusion that however stylish they might be they were not much warmer than the ordinary kind. Had they been fur lined they might have been worth while.

"Necessity has driven me to invention. I have just had a special bed built. It is made of cast iron tubing, or whatever it is they put into radiators. This tubing is connected with the hot water system that heats our house. At night I make up a little fire in the boiler and when I am ready to retire the bed is nice and warm. It stays so all night."

"Is there danger of fire?" asked the friend.

"No, I don't think so," replied Mr. Gelid, "and, anyway, I have had an automatic sprinkler installed in the ceiling of the bedroom."

Rumania's New Alliance With Russia

Old Differences Have Been Settled and the Way Opened for a Lasting Union

By Felicin Vexler

To any one acquainted with Rumanian politics the alliance of Rumania with the Entente has long seemed inevitable. For sentimental reasons, to put it that way, Rumania could not take arms against France and Italy, and the worst the Entente Allies could expect from her was an attitude of strict neutrality. The Central Powers did indeed make certain promises as to the future treatment of Rumanians living in the Dual Monarchy. These advances, however, were rejected by Rumania, who feared that she might receive the cold shoulder from a victorious Austria, was certain of a worse fate if the outcome of the war should be favorable to the Entente Allies. Even the professional politicians—the scourge of the Balkan States—who had been so assiduously fanning the flames of Rumanian patriotism for their own selfish interests, could see that the thwarting of the nation's aspiration would spell the utter ruin of their credit.

There is therefore no anti-war party in Rumania, for the few Socialists and pro-Germans have little influence. As yet, to the Rumanian peasants in general, the war means only hardship; but it may be of the utmost importance to them if Rumania proves worthy of the responsibilities which a successful war would bring to her. What she needs now above all is a man of the stamp of Venizelos to lead her during the hours of trial.

The greatest obstacle in the way of an alliance with the Entente Powers has hitherto been Russia. On the one hand Rumanian Irredentists cannot forget that Bessarabia was once Rumanian soil, and that it still harbors 1,200,000 Rumanians who desire Rumanian schools, a national church and some sort of recognition of their separate nationality from their Russian masters. On the other, ever since the treaty of Berlin, Rumanians have nourished strong resentment against their powerful Eastern neighbor for her treacherous attitude, as they construe it, at the end of the war of 1877. Most Rumanians believe that at that time Russia, who had guaranteed the territorial integrity of Rummania and received from the latter most valuable military aid, forgot her solemn pledge when victorious, and brutally despoiled her smaller ally of Bessarabia. So runs this legend duly put forth on every occasion by Rumanian Chauvinists and aided, for reasons which are not far to seek, by the Liberal Party (the party of the Bratianu family) which has succeeded in hushing the disclosure of the true course of events made a year ago by the greatest of Rumanian statesmen, Mihail Kogalniceanu.

What is the truth? In 1876 it was evident that Russia was preparing to attack Turkey, of which Rumania was a vassal State. Prince Carol sent Ioan Bratianu, a Liberal, to Livadia to learn Tsar Alexander's intentions as to Rumania. He was quite frankly told that Russia absolutely needed southern Bessarabia—which was historically a part of Rumania, although technically it belonged to Turkey, to which it was restored after the Crimean war. In exchange for this part of Bessarabia Russia was willing to give Dobrudja to Rumania. Russia, moreover, did not at the time care for the military co-operation of Rumania. What could Bratianu do? He was unable to raise any valid objection. He turned to the European powers (Austria included) but received small comfort. Under such circumstances an act of agreement was made along the lines suggested by Russia.

When Kogalniceanu was made Minister of Foreign Affairs he, without knowing the details of this agreement, demanded of Russia a clause guaranteeing the integrity of Rumanian territory. This was granted, but under the reserve of the explanation made at Livadia, and Prince Gortchakov was sent to Rumania to make clear what Russia meant. Bratianu, however, kept the truth from his colleague of Foreign Affairs. There is thus nothing in Russia's actions both prior to and during the Berlin congress to suggest a breach of faith toward Rumania, although Russia could have afforded to be more generous toward her ally. It should not be forgotten, however, that the Tsar was willing to grant Rumania an indemnity of at least 50,000,000 francs, and in addition to build a bridge across the Danube, to give her a merchant marine and navy, to provide her with 100 cannon and 100,000 Martini rifles and to build and maintain a home for Rumanian war invalids. All this was lost, however, through the hypocrisy of Bratianu, who held for "Bessarabia or nothing."

That this misunderstanding was not, as the Germans hoped, fatal to an alliance with Russia, has been made evident by the events of the last few days. Will the alliance be merely temporary? I think not. In the first place, the interest of Rumanians in the provinces now belonging to the Dual Monarchy is paramount, for many reasons which need not be dwelt upon here. Moreover, modern Rumania is largely indebted to Transylvania for her own national consciousness and cultural achievements. Bessarabia, on the other hand, has produced only a few eminent Rumanians, as it has no intellectual class and the exchange of ideas with the mother country is very limited. The Bessarabians themselves preserve a passive attitude, so that the Imperial Government faces no internal Rumanian question. Rumanians are, furthermore, too intelligent to believe that there is the slightest chance of their obtaining Bessarabia. Should the Russian Government be willing to grant its Rumanian subjects a certain amount of political privileges there will be little opportunity left for a conflict along racial lines.

Thus, an understanding with Russia becomes all the more desirable because, from the religious point of view (and this is an important one in the east of Europe) Rumanians and Russians are one. Besides, the next great internal problem after the agrarian question, namely that of foreign populations, is common to both countries and will have to be solved along similar lines in each. We may, therefore, confidently expect, now that the Rumanian Hohenzollern has refused allegiance to his imperial relative, that the bonds which unite the Courts of Bucharest and Petrograd will in the future be particularly close. In the meanwhile the two armies fight side by side, and acquaintance between nations so akin in their mental traits as are the Russians and Rumanians is very apt to develop into lasting friendship.

Where Preparedness Failed

From the New Haven Echo

Some sneak thief entered the room of A. M. Boone ("Sandy") at his home at New Hope one night last week. Securing his pantaloons, he removed from his pocketbook $38, which he took away with him, leaving the pocketbook with some valuable papers and $110 that was overlooked. While this was going on "Sandy" slept peacefully, for under his head lay a tiny .38 Colt's revolver that would have been troublesome if brought into action, but the thief, as well as "Sandy," was unconscious of that fact.

An Incident In Persia

How the American Flag Saved A Small British Colony

Mihrtad Tiryakian, a member of a prominent Armenian family of New York, who is now temporarily stationed at Sultan-Abad, Persia, in connection with his firm's affairs, in a letter just received, tells the story of how the American flag saved the British colony of that city from certain massacre at the hands of German-led tribesmen and freebooters. His story follows:

"The German propaganda designed to provoke armed uprising of the Persians against the British broke out one morning with unexpected suddenness and violence. Wild Persian tribesmen and buccaneers sacked the British bank, took hold of the entire city, and started to surround the British business houses and residences. The British colony, consisting of the British Consul, the officers of the bank, and members of a mercantile firm, with their wives and children, numbering fourteen persons, took refuge in the British Consulate. At once I prepared all my firearms to meet any possible attack, and hoisted the American flag over my house.

"The following morning the Britishers, having been apprised of the criminal intentions of the rabble, managed to come to my house. The German Consul, infuriated at my audacity in thus thwarting his plan, sent for me and demanded categorically that I should surrender to him all the Britishers. 'I beg your pardon, Sir, but they are under the protection of the American flag, and you can take them out of there only by force, and for that you will be held personally responsible,' I replied. The Consul threatened, promised safe conduct for them, etc., while several Bavarian officers watched me with undisguised disgust and impatience. 'I will at once report the situation to the American Minister at Teheran and await his instructions. Until then I cannot further discuss the subject with you,' I concluded.

"In response to my telegraphic report to the American Minister, his Excellency charged me with the protection of the British colony, which telegram, having passed through the censor, was also brought to the notice of the German consul. Having thus gained the rancor of the German Consul and the enmity of a desperate mob, I proceeded to consult with the American Minister as to the means of a safe conduct for the Britishers. Within a fortnight, a Swedish officer arrived from Teheran and took custody of the Britishers, who left for Teheran. I received commendatory messages from both the American and British Ministers. Furthermore, the American Minister commissioned me to take charge of the American interests in this district. Very shortly thereafter the news of the approach of the victorious Russian forces reached us. Very naturally the Germans deemed it wise to seek a safer place for themselves. Now the German Consul asked me to take charge of the German interests, particularly of the valuable stock of the German Rug Manufacturing Company. By direction of the American Minister I am also protecting the German interests. I am very happy to have contributed to the safety of the defenseless Britishers, but I am infinitely happier to have maintained the honor of the glorious American flag."

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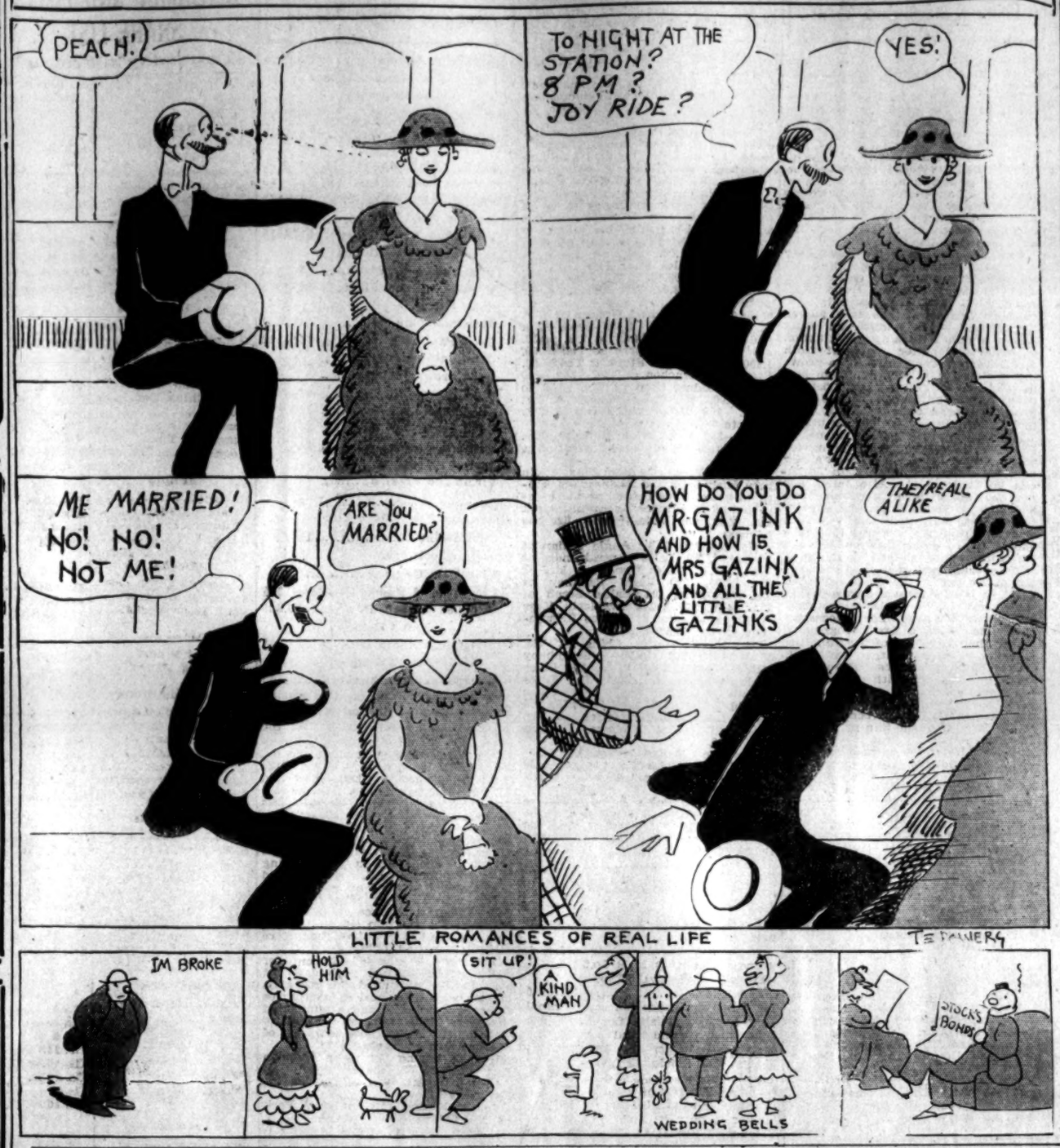
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FOR THE FIRELESS COOKER

Uncooked Tomato Relish

One-half peck tomatoes, one quart cider vinegar, six green peppers, four medium sized onions, one-half cupful chopped cabbage, one cupful sugar, one cupful salt, two teaspoonfuls celery salt, two teaspoonfuls red pepper, one teaspoonful ground cloves, one teaspoonful yellow mustard seed, one teaspoonful black mustard seed.

Scald and peel tomatoes, chop all ingredients fine, add seasonings and mix well; add the vinegar and enough extra to cover if necessary. This will keep indefinitely.

Baked Sliced Ham

One slice fat ham. Two tablespoonfuls sugar.

Trim off the wide rim of fat on the ham, chop it fine and mix thoroughly with the sugar. Place the ham in a skillet, dripping pan or fireless cooker pan, and spread the chopped mixture over it. Bake for twenty-five minutes in a hot oven or allow forty-five minutes with a radiator at 400 degrees Fahrenheit in a fireless cooker. It is not necessary to freshen the ham.

Whole-Wheat with Apples

One cupful whole-wheat flour (ground coarse) or whole grain; one-half cupful cracked wheat; six apples, quartered; one-half cupful sugar; one teaspoonful salt; three cupfuls water; one teaspoonful soda.

Mix the flour or whole-wheat grain with a little water, and add the soda. Bring to boiling point, pour off the water, then add water again to cover, bring to boiling point again, and drain, but do not add any more soda. This should be done still a third time in order to take away any disagreeable strong flavor. Mix the scalded meal with the cracked wheat; add the salt and boiling water. Cook slowly overnight in the fireless cooker. In the morning add the apples and sugar. Transfer to an earthen dish or leave in the fireless cooker utensil. Cover and cook again in a fireless cooker for two hours, using one radiator. Large quantities can be made at a time and sealed for future use.

All Over The World

A prominent British statesman remarked, recently, that the experience of the last two years had taught him it was never safe to say that a woman could not do anything that a man could do. This statesman was, at the time, rallying a meeting of farmers on their conservatism in the matter of employing women on the land. The latest reports show that even this conservatism is rapidly becoming a thing of the past. The farmer now welcomes the woman worker. In the nine counties from which returns have been received by the board of agriculture, more than 7,000 women are employed on the land.

Then again, there is something specially refreshing about such a statement as that recently made by the secretary of the national land council. The secretary was dealing with the work of women gardeners, and, describing a visit she paid, some time ago, to the famous market garden district in the Vale of Evesham, she says: "The girls I visited were pruning rose trees, hand hoeing, and pulling onions, tying them up in bundles, and racing to see how much they could do in the day. They all love their work. Other parties will be formed for farm work during summer. We are sending them all over the country."

The cabin which was Lincoln's first home, now standing on its original site near Hodgensville, Ky., has become the property of the United States.—A man who sees it, and later sees the completed great marble memorial to Lincoln on the bank of the Potomac at Washington, will have seen typical edifices of the most symbolic career yet known to the republic. The one is ten logs high on a side; is plastered with soil, and has an outer chimney of logs, sticks and mud. The other is to cost millions; be made and adorned by artists of distinction; and become, next to Mt. Vernon, the home of Washington, the most frequented of all American civic temples.

In addition to having one of the greatest tunnels of the Canadian Pacific railway named for him, H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught, Governor-General of the Dominion, in his recent visit to the west, was made chief of the Stony Tribe of Indians, invested with the traditional insignia of the rank, and given the name "Teenchka Eeyake Oonka," or "Great Mountain Chief." The ceremony, which took place at Banff, Alberta, was attended by the Duchess and Princess Patricia. The Duke himself was in full Indian regalia, and photographs show that he looked the part it was intended he should play. No doubt when a small boy, he hoped, as millions of other small boys have hoped, that some day he might be called upon to play such a role.

Railroad officials of the United States, explaining why they rejected President Wilson's proposal for a settlement of their controversy with their employees, made the point that the eight-hour day is impracticable because of its cost. In order to show just what the cost would be, they offered to maintain a monthly record for each train worker of the difference between the money earned on the present basis and the amount that would be earned on an eight-hour basis. "On divergence of sentiment," said the ambassadors of Mytilene to the Peloponnesians, "rests diversity of action." The value of the officials' bookkeeping device might depend on their sentiment in applying it. The figures of their earning sheets would doubtless have much persuasion under the double-entry scheme, and might have even more if based for a trial month on a direct eight-hour day.

The deposit for permanent display in the Morgan Memorial at Hartford, Conn., of art treasures valued at $2,000,000 which J. Pierpont Morgan lent to the Metropolitan Museum in New York, is in obedience to a filial impulse of the financier and collector. Hartford was the home of Junius Spencer Morgan, partner of George Peabody, and founder of the house of Morgan in London. Hartford is the native place of J. Pierpont Morgan, and there he resided until he became a Boston schoolboy. Naturally he wished to be remembered well in the place of his early years. Hartford will welcome a marked accession to the art treasures of a community whose wealth, in days gone by, has been turned less to æsthetic than to ethical phases of civic growth.

A Massachusetts jurist, who really deserves that title, has decreed that a pedestrian's clothes, as well as his person, are valuable and must be reckoned with by motorists who insist on speeding over muddy roads. That is to say, damages may be collected in his court for raiment that has been bespattered. The decree says that mud "is a circumstance to be considered as well as other traffic conditions," and mud-slinging is unlawful. Would that bitter political partisans could be interdicted in a similar way. Mud is apt to soil both the target and the thrower.

Facts About the Famous

The Grand Duchess George of Russia since the outbreak of the war has knitted thirty-five pairs of socks and twenty pairs of mittens for the Russian army.

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The Prince of Wales occupies a lower military rank than any other royalty serving in the war. He has repeatedly refused to accept promotion.

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Sir John French had made up his mind to leave the service just before the outbreak of the Boer war in 1899, when he was offered a command.

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Rufford Abbey, the residence of Lord Savile, was once described by the late King Edward VII. as the most comfortable home in England.

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Andrew Fisher, the new High Commissioner for Australia, began life as a pit-hand in a coal mine in Scotland.

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The dinner given by Lord Farquhar in July, 1914, was the last private social function attended by the King and Queen of England.

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Prince Leopold of Prussia, who is married to a sister of the German Empress, is the wealthiest of German royalties.

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One of Admiral Beatty's favorite recreations is that of writing letters to some very intimate friend.

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Money and Bullion

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	Tls.
Mex. Dollars: Market rate:	71.9675
S'hai Gold Bars: 978 touch...	—
Bar Silver	—
Copper Cash	1925
Sovereigns:	
Buying rate, @ 3-1—Tls.	6.48
Exch. @ 72.2—Mex. ..$	8.98
Peking Bar ....Tls.	340
Native Interest	.10

Latest London Quotations

Bar Silver	32 1/4 d.
Bank rate of discount	6%
Market rate of discount:—	
3 m-s.	%
4 m-s.	%
6 m-s.	%
Exchange on Shanghai, 60 d-s.	
Ex., Paris on London ....Fr.	27.81
Ex., N. Y. on London T.T...$	476 1/2
Consols ....£	—

Exchange Closing Quotations

London	T.T.	3-1
London	Demand	3-1 1/32
India	T.T.	229
Paris	T.T.	428 1/2
Paris	Demand	429
New York	T.T.	73 3/8
New York	Demand	73 1/2
Hongkong	T.T.	71 1/4
Japan	T.T.	69 3/8
Batavia	T.T.	176 1/2

Bank's Buying Rates

London	4 m-s. Cdts.	3-2 3/16
London	4 m-s. Docy.	3-2 1/16
London	6 m-s. Cdts.	3-2 1/16
London	6 m-s. Docy.	3-2 1/32
Paris	4 m-s.	443 1/2
New York	4 m-s.	76 1/8

CUSTOMS HOUSE RATE OF EXCHANGE FOR OCTOBER

	£1 = Hk. Tls.	5.77
Hk. Tls.	1 = Francs	4.83
" "	1 = Marks	†3.95
Gold $1 = Hk. Tls.		1.21
Hk. Tls.	1 = Yen	1.62
" "	1 = Rupees	2.60
" "	1 = Rouble	2.56
" "	1 = Mex.	$1.50

† Nominal.

Stock Exchange

Transactions

Shanghai, October 9, 1916.

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS

Official

Shanghai Cotton Tls. 98.00
Chengs Tls. 4.00
Kroewoeks Tls. 22.75
Java Consolidated Tls. 23.00
Samagagas Tls. 1.25
Gulas "L" Tls. 9.75
Shanghai Docks Tls. 86.00

Sharebrokers' Association

Transactions

Shanghai, October 9, 1916.

BUSINESS DONE

Official

Telephones Tls. 89.00 cash
Anglo-Javas Tls. 13.00 cash
Kroewoeks Tls. 23.00 October
Hall and Holtz Tls. 16.50 cash
Cathay 'O' Tls. 3.60 cash
Consolidated Tls. 3.90 cash

London Rubber Market

Reuter's Service

London, October 7.—Today's rubber prices were:—

Plantation First Latex.
Spot: 2s. 5d. Paid.
January to March: 2s. 5¾d. Paid.
Tendency of Market: Very steady.
Last Quotation, London, October 6:
Spot: 2s. 5d. Paid.
January to March: 2s. 5¾d. Value.
Tendency of Market: Very steady.

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Owing to there is not being a quorum present, the extraordinary meeting of shareholders in the China Flour Mill Co., Ltd., summoned for yesterday, could not be held. The call was to discuss a proposal that, as the Company, by reason of its liabilities, is unable to continue its business, it be wound up voluntarily. Mr. John Prentice and Mr. Albert E. Algar being appointed liquidators and that the conditional agreement between the company and the Mitsui Bussan Kaisha sale of the company's property and undertaking be approved.

COMMERCIAL CABLES

Reuter's Service

London, October 6.—Today's rates, prices and deliveries were as follows:
Consols 2½% for a/c £59 3/8
Cheques on London at Paris..Frs. 27.80
T. T. on London at New York...$4.76 1/2
Bar Silver (Spot) ....32 1/2d.
Bank of England Rate of Discount ....6 per cent
Market rate of Discount ...5⅝ per cent
Cotton; Egyptian F.G.F. ....15.05d.
Cotton; M. G. Fine Scinde and Bengal ....7.25d.
Cotton; Mid American Spot....9.93d.
Plantation Rubber October 2s. 5d. paid
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Messrs. Ilbert and Co. write as follows in their weekly market report:—

There is no special feature to report upon. Demand for all outlets remains quiet, and replacing values, compared to those ruling here, are daily becoming wider and wider apart, without the least sign of special interest being evinced by dealers in the steady depletion of stocks here that is taking place. The auctions are reducing their offerings, and prices merely keep about steady, with declines noticeable in some of the dyed sections.

We notice that some newspaper experts at home are becoming despondent regarding the outlook for the future of China's trade with Lancashire, and are beginning to consider whether it has not passed its zenith, while competition from Japan, which is turning its attention to better and better grades of cloth all the time, is recognised to be growing in strength. Certainly Japan has, in addition to geographical position, considerable advantage while the great European struggle lasts, over her distant competitor, for naturally, while the flow of freights from all parts of the world is streaming towards Great Britain, the latter's raw material costs her more than Japan can lay it down at. Also Japan has not the acute labor problems and shortage of hands which Lancashire has to deal with in these days. It is therefore perfectly natural that she should improve her position all she can with regard to trade with China while everything favors it. As regards the expansion of the trade of China itself, it is of course recognised that the surface has barely been scratched, but in a country whose successive governments make for retrogression rather than any form of progress, the difficulty is to get at it, to scratch it.

Grey Shirtings 8¼-lbs.—The market keeps quite steady with a moderate business in progress for the River ports, sales being reported in Black One Joss at Tls. 3.30, Green One Joss at Tls. 2.95, and Blue Sun at Tls. 3.00. Auctions steady to firm.

4-lbs. to 7-lbs.—Man and Horse at Tls. 2.10 is the only sale coming under notice.

9-lbs. to 11-lbs.—Business remains more or less dull in these weights, there being only a few small transactions to record in Blue Stag at Tls. 4.65 and Soldier C at Tls. 3.75. Prices at auction advanced several candareens on the whole.

12-lbs. 36 inches.—A little more demand from Szechuen has led to the following sales:—Two Old Men at Tls. 5.35, Blue Round Dragon at Tls. 5.30 and Soldier at 5.25. No change took place at auctions.

Jeans.—We hear of no private sales but the auction chops were well competed for and ruled firm all round.

White Shirtings.—There has been a fair amount of buying for Szechuen and Newchwang and the market is firm at the close, sales being made public in Red Large Dog at Tls. 6.85, and Small Dog at Tls. 6.35, Flower No. 1 at Tls. 5.65, and No. 2 at Tls. 5.25, Gold Cash at Tls. 5.45, and Peacock at Tls. 5.22½. The auction chops improved to the extent of about a mace a piece on the whole.

Drills and Sheetings.—These goods are in moderate demand for Newchwang and higher prices have been paid than the previous week in most cases. Cameron Drills have changed hands at Tls. 4.65, and in Sheetings we hear of the same Mill's cloth at Tls. 4.75, and Pelzer A at Tls. 4.50.

Local cloths are represented by Large Tiger Head Sheetings at Tls. 3.65, and Two Tigers and Blue Horse Drills at Tls. 3.95 for each.

Dyed and Fancy Cottons.—The demand has again been slack especially for Fast Black Cotton Italians which showed a material decline in prices at auction. On the other hand Venetians were if anything on the firm side.

Cotton.—Prices for the local staple have eased off slightly and although steady at the close, quotations are lower than those recorded last week being as follows:—Tungchow Tls. 23.20 to Tls. 22.60, Four chop Tls. 21.20, Steam Ginned Tls. 21.20 to Tls. 21.00, Ordinary Shanghai at Tls. 21.00 to Tls. 20.80, Ningpo Cotton at Tls. 20.00 to Tls. 19.40.

The New York market has been further advancing, forward quotations being G. cts. 17.14 for December, G. cts. 17.36 March.

The Liverpool Market also shows considerable improvement, Reuter's cabled quotations being, Middling American at 9.73d., Egyptian at 14.35d. and Bengals at 7.15d. per lb.

Local Yarn.—The improvement reported last week continues to be in evidence, we have to record slight advances and the following sales:—

12s.—200 Bales Teenkwan at Tls. 90.50 to Tls. 91.00.

14s.—225 Bales Four Hee at Tls. 92.50 to Tls. 93.00, 300 Bales Sycee Joss at Tls. 88.00, 800 Bales Censor at Tls. 89.00.

16s.—600 Bales Red Dragon at Tls. 93.50 to Tls. 94.50, 1,000 Bales Man and Goats at Tls. 94.50 to Tls. 95.50, 600 Bales Flying Horse at Tls. 95.00, 1,200 Bales Clouded Stork at Tls. 95.50, 1,100 Bales Anchor at Tls. 94.50, 700 Bales Wedding chop at Tls. 96.50 to Tls. 97.00, 500 Bales Phoenix at Tls. 95.00, 150 Bales Teenkwan at Tls. 96.00 to Tls. 96.50.

20s.—300 Bales Five Men at Tls. 105, 600 Bales Man and Goat Tls. 104.00.

Indian Yarn.—Demand has again been fairly brisk and business amounted to about 3,000 bales has to be reported at an advance averaging about Tls. 2.00 per bale. Sales are as follows:

No. 10s, 200 Bales Anglo Indian at Tls. 84.00, 200 Bales Central India at Tls. 89.00, 75 Bales Hongkong Mill at Tls. 80.00, 200 Bales Pabaney at Tls. 85.00/86.50, 100 Bales Sorab at Tls. 84.50, 150 Bales Swadeshi Kose at Tls. 87.50, and 575 Bales Tricumdass at Tls. 83.50/85.00

No. 12's 200 Bales China at Tls. 85.25/86.00, 250 Bales Currimbhoy (Ring) at Tls. 86.00/87.00, 150 Bales Elphinstone at Tls. 83.00, 100 Bales Fazulbhoy at Tls. 88.00, 400 Bales Herald Office at Tls. 85.50/86.75, 300 Bales Lukhimdass Khimjee at Tls. 85.00, and 100 Bales Pabaney Ring at Tls. 87.00.

Japanese Yarn.—Market has advanced Tls. 2.00 to Tls. 3.00 per bale and the following sales are made public:—

No. 16's 200 Bales Standing Horse at Tls. 105.00/106.00 300 Bales Three Horses at Tls. 101.00/103.00, and 300 Bales Woman and Boat at Tls. 100.00/103.00.

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U. K. METAL MARKET

Reuter's Service

London, October 6.—Today's metal prices were as follows:—

	£ s. d.
Standard Copper G. M. B. f.o.b	120 10 0
American Electrolytic Copper f.o.b.	142 0 0
Lead L. B. c.i.f. per ton	Nominal
Soft Lead "Spanish" f.o.b.	30 0 0
Quicksilver Second hand	17 15 0
Tinplates i.c.w. per case 31s.	Nominal
Muntz Metal London or Liverpool	15½d.
Standard Tin (Cash)	177 0 0
Standard Tin (3 Months)	177 10 0
Spelter (ordy soft) f.o.b.	52 0 0
Galvanized Sheets 24 Gauge..	26 5 0

Singapore Rubber Auction

Singapore, September 21.—Following were the prices realized at the rubber auction this week:—

	Singapore per picul.
Sheet:—	$
Smoked Fine Ribbed ... @	128/123
Smoked Good Ribbed... „	122/118
Smoked Fine Plain ... „	127/118
Smoked Good Plain ... „	114/108
Unsmoked Fine Ribbed „	117/115
Unsmoked Good Ribbed „	110
Unsmoked Fine Plain... „	113/110
Unsmoked Good Plain. „	109/108
Crepe:—	
Fine Pale Thin ..... „	127/126
Good Pale Thin ..... „	125/122
Good Pale Blanket ..... „	—
Good Brown Blanket ... „	—
Fine Brown ..... „	121/117
Good Brown ..... „	116/107
Good Dark ..... „	111/100
Barky ..... „	106/74
Scrap:—	
Virgin and Pressed ..... „	97/60
Loose ..... „	98/50
Sheet:—	
Cupwashing ..... „	116/105

London quotations:—

Fine Pale Crepe	2/6
Fine Ribbed Smoked Sheet	2/5 1/2
Catalogued for sale Pcls.	10,468 (about 623 tons).
Catalogued for Sold Pcls.	5,997 (about 357 tons.).

Reports of a firm market in London shew their influence on this market at our weekly auction which took place yesterday and today. At the start all buyers were greatly interested and after a short while the top prices of the sale were paid, viz: $128 for fine ribbed smoked Sheet and $127 for fine pale Crepe. As the sale proceeded competition became less severe and some lots of standard grades sold a couple of points below the early morning's prices. In the afternoon the tone was firmer again, and the prices paid in the morning were well maintained. Medium and lower Crepes as well as good lots of Scrap were wanted throughout the day, and the advance in prices for these grades is from $6 to $10 per picul. Some lots of native Sheet were sold at increased prices.

The sale of the 623 tons on offer could not be finished yesterday, but had to be continued this morning. Buyers were disinclined to keep prices at yesterday's level, and a number of lots were withdrawn on account of high limits. A few good lots only of standard grades fetched $127.

Banks' buying rate on London 3 m/s 2/4-25/32.

Banks' buying rate on London demand 2/4⅜.

Banks' buying rate on New York demand 56⅞.

(Meyer & Measor).

Hankow Tea Market

The export to October 3, as per Customs Returns, stands thus:—

By Way of Shanghai

	Hankow Tea.	Kiukiang Tea.	Re-exports.
Season 1916 X 17	16,102,368 lbs.	..... 7,45 ,576	lbs.
„ 1915 X 16	19,997,592 „	 7,223,569	„
„ 1914 X 15	16,094,795 „	 5,133,457	„

Via Shanghai,	Total 1916-17.	Total 1915-16.	Total 1914-15.
To Great Britain	4,637,871 lbs.	6 818,059 lbs.	5,088,585 lbs.
„ United States and Canada	4,916,891 „	3,904, 96 „	3,693,443 „
„ Continent	72,253 „	67, 44 „	3,234,079 „
„ Russia in Europe	2,493,793 „	3,1 2,789 „	474,737 „
„ do via North	6,(02,325 „	8,831,047 „	1,356,984 „
„ Shanghai	1,570,183 „	1,675,431 „	3,808,465 „

Direct,	U.S. & Canada.	Gr. Britain.	Continent.	Russia in Asia.	Russia in Europe.
1916.	183,453 lbs.	479,885 lbs.	2,691 lbs.	12,877,385 lbs.	5,841,295 lbs.
1915.	— „	2,179,343 „	56,661 „	18,459,075 „	9,859,393 „
1914.	292,973 „	1,654,788 „	537,196 „	15,123,627 „	8,619,819 „

Hankow Export Market

Hankow, October 2.—The following export returns have been compiled under the direction of the Chamber of Commerce:—

The prices quoted are for the net shipping weight excluding cost of packing for export.

	Prices Nominal	Per picul Tls. Piculs	Week ended Sept, 28 Piculs
Cowhides, Best selected		54.00	284
„ Seconds		47.50	
Buffalo hides, No.1 10-60 lbs		24.00	53
„ 2 10-60 „		20.00	
Goatskins, Untanned, chiefly white color, average 2lbs. 50% short, 30% med. and 20% long hair; ....(Pieces)		—	—
White China Grass, Wuchang &-or Poochi (Hemp or Ramie		11.75	
„ Sinshan and-or Chayu „ „		11.00	3,433
Green China Grass, Szechuen		—	
Jute (Abutilon)		3.00	
White Vegetable Tallow 51° titre		17.00	
Green Vegetable Tallow, 52° titre		12.50	8,426
Animal Tallow		18.00	1,560
Gallnuts, Usual shape		18.55	
„ Plum „		22.00	261
Cotton Lihoo		18.60	
„ Shansi		22.25	3,510
Black Bristles, Rifflings 2½" 2¾" 3" 3½" 3¾" 3¾" 4" — — — — — — — — 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 6 4½" 4¾" 5" 5½" 5½" 5¾" 6" — — — — — — — 6 6 6 3 1 1 ½ ¼%—100%		108.00	152
Sesamum Seed, White			
„ „ Yellow			
„ „ Red		4.50	330
„ „ Black			
Yellow Beans		2.85	
*Broad Beans		1.20	49,112
Sesamum Seed Oil		10.30	166
Groundnuts (with shells)		—	—
„ (shelled)		4.50	—
Groundnut Oil		—	—
Wood Oil		10.50	3,700
Tea Oil		11.00	186
Bean Oil		8.70	630
Rape Oil		10.00	—

*Quantities include Beans of all kinds.

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST

Yesterday's Prices

STOCK	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. K. and S. B.	$735 B.
Chartered	£52.
Russo-Asiatic	R. 250.
Cathay, ordy	3½ B.
Cathay. pref	6
Marine Insurances	
Canton	$400 B.
North China	155 B.
Union of Canton	$880 B.
Yangtsze	$252½ B.
Fire Insurances	
China Fire	$154 B.
Hongkong Fire	$385 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Pref	Tls. 128
Indo-China Def	111s. B.
"Shell"	Tls. 18½ B.
Shanghai Tug	Tls. 50
Shanghai Tug	Tls. 22½ B.
Kochien	
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 10 B.
Oriental Cons	39s. 6d.
Philippine	Tls. 0.50 B.
Raub	Tls. 2¾
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	Tls. 131½ B.
Shanghai Dock	$85 B.
New Eng. Works	Tls. 13 B.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 82 B.
Hongkong Wharf	$84½ B.
Lands and Hotels	
Anglo-French Land	Tls. 92½ B.
China Land	Tls. 50 N.
Shanghai Land	Tls. 92½
Weihaiwei Land	Tls. 3.
Central Stores	$8½ B.
China Realty (ord.)	Tls. 80 B.
China Realty (pref.)	Tls. 52 B.
Cotton Mills	
E-wo	Tls. 147½ B.
E-wo Pref	Tls. 107 B.
International	Tls. 67½
International Pref	Tls. 75
Laou-kung-mow	Tls. 65 B.
Oriental	Tls. 43
Shanghai Cotton	Tls. 98 Sa.
Kung Yik	Tls. 14½ B.
Yangtszepoo	Tls. 5¼ B.
Yangtszepoo Pref	Tls. 101 B.
Industrials	
Anglo-German Bry	$95 N.
Butler Tile	Tls. 23 N.
China Flour Mill	Tls. 6 S.
China Sugar	Tls. 113 Sa.
Green Island	Tls. 10.40 B.
Langkats	Tls. 25 B.
Major Bros.	Tls. 5
Shanghai Sumatra	Tls. 162½ B.
Stores	
Hall and Holtz	Tls. 16 B.
Llewellyn	$60.
Lane, Crawford	$98.
Moutrie	$55.
Watson	Tls. 7 B.
Weeks	Tls. 17¾ B.
Rubbers (Local)	
Alma	Tls. 15 Sa.
Amherst	Tls. 1.35 B.
Anglo-Java	Tls. 12¾ B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 6.90
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 40
Batu Anam 1913	Tls. 1¾ B.
Bukit Toh Alang	Tls. 5½ B.
Bute	Tls. 1.90 B.
Chemor United	Tls. 2 B.
Chempedak	Tls. 17
Cheng	Tls. 4 Sa.
Consolidated	Tls. 3.90 B.
Dominion	Tls. 16
Gula Kalumpong	Tls. 9¾
Java Consolidated	Tls. 23 B.
Kamunting	Tls. 8½ B.
Kapala	Tls. 1.10 B.
Kapayang	Tls. 30½.
Karan	Tls. 16 B.
Kota Bahroee	Tls. 13 B.
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 22¾ Sa.
Padang	Tls. 17 B.
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 12
Permata	Tls. 5¾
Repah	Tls. 1.62½
Samagagas	Tls. 1¼ Sa.
Seekee	Tls. 9 B.
Semambu	Tls. 1.90 B.
Senawang	Tls. 19
Shanghai Klebang	Tls. 1.15 B.
Shanghai Malay	Tls. 9
S'hai Malay-Pref	Tls. 15
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 1.80 B.
Sungala	Tls. 1½ B.
Sungei Duri	Tls. 13 B.
Sua Manggis	Tls. 6½ B.
S'hai Kelantan	Tls. 1.05
Shanghai Seremban	Tls. 1.20 B.
Taiping	Tls. 3
Tanah Merah	Tls. 1.15 B.
Tebong	Tls. 27½
Ulobri	Tls. 2 B.
Ziangbe	Tls. 7¾
Miscellaneous	
C. I. and E. Lumber	Tls. 110 B.
Culty Dairy	Tls. 10
S'hai Elec. and Asb.	$2 N.
Shanghai Trams	Tls. 90 S.
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 24 B.
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LANGKAT DAILY OUTPUT

The following telegraphic information has been received by the general agent from the Sumatra director and manager of the Maatschappij tot Mijn-Bosch-en Landbouwexploitatie in Langkat:

The output of crude oil for October 7 was 107 tons and for October 8, 116 tons."

CENTRAL POWERS CLAIM INITIATIVE IN BALKANS

By Acting First, Defeated Allies' Plan to Crush Bulgaria And Cut Communications

(Ostasiatische Lloyd War Service)

The Deutsche Ueberseedienst states: Berlin, October 5.—

The military critic of the Deutsche Ueberseedienst writes: "When Rumania entered the war, the French and British press immediately declared that the Balkans was the main theater of war and that the decision was to be expected there. Since then, five weeks have passed and the Balkan campaign has turned out to be only a fragmentary adventure, but now the Entente newspapers are trying to explain that the Balkans is only a secondary theater of war.

"In fact, the real activity and initiative in the Balkans belongs to the Central Powers, while the Entente Powers are satisfied with words. The Central Powers are now dictating the course of military actions in the Balkans. The plan of the Entente was to assemble Rumanian and Russian forces in the Dobrudja with the object of invading Bulgaria, to strike an annihilating blow against the Bulgarian army and to destroy the connection between Belgrade and Constantinople, which is vital for the Central Powers.

"The Central Powers, however, acted first and thus the roles were changed. Bulgarian and German divisions conquered Turtukai and Silistria, thus eliminating the hostile menace against their flank. By this quick and bold offensive the Rumanians and Russians were forced to retreat to the Tranjans Wall, where hastily summoned reserves took up the shattered fragments of the fleeing troops.

"Thus, not only was the flank of the Bulgarian army freed from danger, but, simultaneously, the Rumanian flank itself became threatened from the east. Consequently, strong Rumanian forces were hurried to the Dobrudja and to the Danube, from Transylvania. This re-grouping of the front was still going on when the Germans struck their annihilating blow.

"The results of this phase will reach far beyond what can be observed at present. The Rumanians were surprised in the west, while they expected the main danger in the south-east, where, however, they were also surprised. They are now equally threatened from the south-east and the west, which makes their situation serious.

It is reported from The Hague that Britain is preparing fresh coercive measures against neutral commerce. The Dutch Overseas Trust recently published a circular letter, according to which any Dutch merchant or agent who is member of a board of directors, or belongs to the administration of business enterprises which are on the British black list, will also be put on the black list.

Lieutenant-General von Schoeler has been appointed assistant Prussian Minister of War.

Reports from Vienna state that, from Italian quarters, news has been spread during the last few days of three days' fighting on the summit of the Montesief, and that the Agenzia Stefani gave a long official description of the combats, stating that the Austro-Hungarian troops in vain attempted to check the Italians who advanced again the Montesief.

The Vienna papers remark that the Italian headquarters reports about these engagements were contradictory and furnish a proof of the inexactness of the Italian headquarters reports.

The Austrian headquarters report of November 9, 1915, stated: "During the night to November 7 the enemy attempted to re-conquer the Cordillera. After their attack had been repulsed, our troops counter-attacked and persecuted the fleeing enemy. We conquered the summit of the Montesief, north of the Col-di-Lana." This report has never been revoked. Meanwhile, it remains a fact that the Montesief was never lost by us in the course of the war.

The Reichsbank publishes the following weekly statement, dated September 30:

	Million Marks	Against preceding week plus
Gold reserve	2,484.0	13.0
Commercial papers and treasury bills.	7,758.0	181.0
Circulation of bank notes	7,369.0	509.0
Private deposits ...	6,266.0	2,586.0

Gold reserve covering circulation of bank notes.....33.7% against 36%

The amount borrowed by loan banks against security increased from 2,123 million Marks to 2,484 million Marks.

The following subscriptions to the fifth war loan have been made:

	Million Marks
Provinzialbank Pommern	13.5
Stadtverwaltung Dresden	12.
Provinz Schleswig-Holstein ..	8.
Konigliche Vericherungsanstalt Muenchen	10.
Sparkasse Cassel	7.5
Sparkasse Frankfurt more than	5.
Deutsche Eisenwerke	5.
Westfaeliche Feuer-Versicherungsanstalt	5.
Magdeburger Feuer-Verscher ungs-Ges.	5.
Provinz Pommern	13.5
Provinz Hessen-Cassel	6
Rheinische Automobilefabrik...	11.3
Versicherungstalt Hessen-Nassau	10
Stadtverwaltung Goerlitz	8
Fortuna, Alleg. Versicherungsgesellschaft	5.5
Industriebank Ulm	7.5
Handelskammer Hannover ...	5

Deny Pope Admonished Emperor Franz Josef

Assert Pius X Said War Was Just and Austria Was Forced Into It

(Ostasiatische Lloyd War Service)

The Deutscher Ueberseedienst states: Berlin, October 4.—The Italian newspapers have only now been allowed to publish the Holy Father's protest against the confiscation of the Palazzo Ventia in Rome by the Italian authorities. At the same time, the official reply is published by the Official Italian Telegraphic Agency, in which it is said that the Palazzo belonged to a hostile estate, that the confiscation was a measure of war and that the diplomatic privileges of the Holy See were consequently in no way violated.

The Osservatore Romani comments upon this reply of the Italian Government, saying "the confiscation was a measure of war, about which the Holy See would have made no utterances, but the Holy See denies that the expulsion of Ambassadors accredited to the Vatican is compatible with the regards due to the Holy Father. The Palazzo was the seat of an Embassy. If the Pope had been informed in time, an understanding would have been possible and many disagreeable occurrences would thus have been avoided." The Osservatore Romani then declares that it considers the incident as closed.

The Koelnische Zeitung reports about the news communicated by the Italian National Agency, according to which the Holy Father admonished the Emperor Franz Josef in a personal letter that he ought to consider the redemption of his soul and therefore end the war, for which he was responsible. The Koelnische Zeitung states that it has been authorised by a competent authority to declare that this alleged letter is as spurious as other former news from the same source, in which it had been asserted that the Holy Father tried to prevent the war, but that his telegrams had been intercepted.

The Koelnische Zeitung adds: "There are witnesses who heard with their own ears that Pope Pius X. said: 'If ever a war was just then it is the present war, into which Austria was forced.'"

The Agenze Nazionale further spread the report that the Vatican is prepared to take up a new attitude towards France, which shall also be expressed in the Press allocution as well as at the consistory to be held end of November. The Catholic newspaper Croix, however, reported on September 23, from Rome, that all news about the happenings at the future consistory would, as usual, either be guesswork or sheer invention.

GREEK DEFENDS BULGARS

(Ostasiatische Lloyd War Service)

The Deutsche Ueberseedienst reports: Berlin, October 5.—The newspapers publish a declaration made by the Greek Prefect of Drama, Nikoles Bakapulos, with regard to the situation created by the Bulgarian occupation. The Prefect states: "It ought to be sufficient, that I, Prefect of Drama, declare that the conditions in our town could not be better than they are at present. After a conversation which I had with the Bulgarian authorities, under the assistance of German officers and after the daily friendly conversations with the Bulgarian Commander, our different spheres of official activity have been clearly defined.

"We all work together, assisting each other and we all hold the same point of view. In accordance with the promises given by the Central Powers we all remained in our offices and continued our work. The order within our town is exemplary since the arrival of the Bulgarian troops."

The Bulgarians are sending the necessary bread and flour for the population, while meat and vegetables are furnished by the country people in the neighborhood. The introduction of bread cards assures full supplies and avoids wastefulness. The Prefect declared further:

"I can assure you that, in my town, up to the present, not a drop of blood has been shed on account of the Bulgarians. All the complaints coming from the country referred only to the absence of the responsible authorities, which had encouraged criminals to take illegal measures against the population. In no case were complaints made against Bulgarian troops. On the contrary, I was urged to ask the Bulgarians to send small detachments to every place to maintain order."

The Inspector-General of the Greek railways, Gregoriadis, confirmed the Prefect's statements and said that he regrets his inability to go to Athens in order to report to his King about the situation, which is as favorable as possible under the circumstances. The Prefect and the Inspector-General protest most energetically against the descriptions given by Venizelos and his press, which they call "a disgraceful slander."

Chinese and Foreign Banking Announcements

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In London: The Union of London and Smith's Bank, Ltd.; Comptoir National d'Escompte des Paris; Credit Lyonnais.

This Shanghai Agency undertakes all banking operations and exchange business, grants credits on goods and approved securities and receives deposits on current and fixed deposits according to arrangement.

L. ARDAIN,
Manager.

Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger

Filiale de la Societe Generale de Belgique
Societe Anonyme
Paid-up Capital ....Frs. 30,000,000

Head Office: BRUSSELS.

London Office: 2 Bishopsgate. Branches at Peking, Tientsin, Alexandria, Cairo (Egypt), and Rotterdam.

President:
JEAN JADOT,
Gouvernor Societe Generale de Belgique.

Bankers:
London Martin's Bank, Ltd.
Brussels: Societe Generale de Belgique.
Antwerp: Banque d'Anvers.
Paris: Banque de l'Union Parisienne, Societe Anonyme.
Lyons and Marseilles: Comptoir National d'Escompte d'Paris.
New York: National City Bank of New York.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts Taels and fixed deposits according to arrangements.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.

W. A. HOEHN,
Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Paid-up Capital $15,000,000

Reserve Funds:—
Sterling £1,500,000 @ 2s. $15,000,000
Silver 18,000,000
$33,000,000

Reserve liability of Proprietors $15,000,000

Head Office: HONGKONG.
Court of Directors:
W. L. Pattenden, Esq., Chairman.
S. H. Dodwell, Esq., Deputy [Chairman.
G. T. M. Edkins, Esq.
C. S. Gubbay, Esq.
Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak.
Hon. Mr. D. Landale.
J. A. Plummer, Esq.
Hon. Mr. E. Shellim.
Chief Manager:
Hongkong—N. J. Stabb.

Branches and Agencies:

Amoy	Ipoh	Peking
Bankok	Johore	Penang
Batavia	Kobe	Rangoon
Bombay	Kuala-	Saigon
Calcutta	Lumpur	S. Francisco
Canton	London	Shanghai
Colombo	Lyons	Singapore
Foochow	Malacca	Sourabaya
Hankow	Manila	Tientsin
Harbin	Nagasaki	Tsingtau
Iloilo	New York	Yokohama

London Bankers:
London County and Westminster Bank, Ltd.

Shanghai Branch: 12, The Bund.
Sub-Agency: 9 Broadway.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and on Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Local Bills Discounted.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts granted on London and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, Africa, China, Japan and America.

A. G. STEPHEN.
Manager.

Russo-Asiatic Bank

Roubles.
Capital (fully-paid) 45,000,000
Reserve Fund 22,000,000
Kpg. Tls.
Capital Contributed by the ..Chinese Government ... 3,500,000
Reserve Fund 1,733,000

Head office: Petrograd.
Paris Office: 9, Rue Boudreau.
London Office: 64, Old Broad St., E.C.

Bankers:
London: Messrs. Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co.
Paris: Societe General pour favoriser le Development du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France. Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas.
Lyons: Societe Gerenale pour favoriser le Development du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France.

Far Eastern Branches and Agencies

Bombay	Hailan	Peking
Calcutta	Hankow	Shanghai
Chanchun	Harbin	Tientsin
(Kwan-chendze)	Hongkong Newchwang	Vladivostock
Chefoo	Nicolayowsk	Yokohama
Dalny (Dairen)	o-A	

85 Branches and Agencies in Russia, Siberia and Mongolia.

SHANGHAI BRANCH

Interest allowed on Current Account and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars and Roubles. Terms on application.

Local Bills discounted. Special facilities for Russian Exchange.

Foreign Exchange on the principal cities of the world bought and sold.

Safe Deposit Boxes:
J. JEZIERSKI,
Q. CARRERE,
Managers for China and Japan

The Shanghai Commercial and Savings Bank, Ltd.

9, Ningpo Road.

Paid-up Capital $200,000

All kinds of banking business transacted.

Currency Exchange a speciality.

Special department for handling loans against warehouse receipts and other commercial paper.

Interest on Tael current accounts 2%.

Particulars of interest allowed on Dollar current accounts and fixed deposits can be obtained on application.

K. P. Chen,
General Manager.

The Bank of China.

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital $60,000,000
Paid-up Capital $10,000,000

Head Office: Peking.
Branches and Agencies:
Peking, Tientsin, Newchang, Mukden Changchun, Harbin, Dairen, Tsinan, Tsingtau, Kaifung, Hankow, Ichang, Shanshi, Wuhu, Yangchow, Chinkiang, Nanking, Shanghai, Hangchow, Ningpo, Foochow, Canton, Nanchang, Taiyuen, etc., etc.

SHANGHAI BRANCH,
3 Hankow Road.

Loans granted on approved securities. Local bills discounted. Interests allowed on Current Deposit Account in Tales at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum and on Fixed Deposits at the following rates:
For 3 months at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum.
For 6 months at the rate of 4 per cen. per annum.
For 12 months at the rate of 5 per cen. per annum.

SUNG HAN-CHANG,
Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Savings Bank Office:
12 The Bund, and 9 Broadway.

Deposits of not less than $1, or over $100, will be received at one time.

Not more than $1,200 will be received in one year from any single depositor whose credit balance shall not at any time exceed the sum of $5,000.

Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent. per annum will be allowed on the monthly minimum balance. Deposits may be withdrawn on demand. Accounts will be kept either in Mexican Dollars or Taels, at the option of the depositor.

Depositors will be presented with Pass Books in which all transactions will be entered. Pass Books must be presented when paying in or withdrawing money.

Office Hours—10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

Banque Industrielle de Chine.

Capital ..... Francs 45,000,000
One-third of the Capital, i.e. Frs. 15,000,000, subscribed by
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CHINESE REPUBLIC

Statutes approved by the Government of the Chinese Republic on January 11, 1913.

President, Andre Berthelot.
General Manager, A. J. Pernotte.

Head Office
74, Rue St. Lazare, Paris.
Branches in Peking, Tientsin and Shanghai
BANKERS:
In France: Societe Generale pour le Development du Commerce et du l'Industrie en France.
In London: London, County and Westminster Bank, Ltd.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits on application.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

G. LION,
Manager.

1, French Bund, Shanghai.

Yokohama Specie Bank, Limited

(*Established* 1880.)

Head Office: Yokohama, Japan.

Capital Subscribed ..... Yen 48,000,000
Capital Paid-up ..... „ 30,000,000
Reserve Fund ..... „ 20,800,000

London Bankers:
Union of London & Smith's Bank, The London Joint Stock Bank, Parr's Bank, Ltd.

Branches and Agencies:

Antunghsin	London	Port Arthur
Bombay	Liaoyang	S. Francisco
Calcutta	Los Angeles	Singapore
Changchun	Lyons	Sydney
Dalny	Mukden	Sinanfu
Hankow	Nagasaki	Tiehling
Harbin	Newchwang	Tientsin
Hongkong	New York	Tokio
Honolulu	Osaka	Tsingtau
Kobe	Peking	

SHANGHAI BRANCH

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels and Dollars, according to arrangement.

Drafts granted on principal places in Japan, Korea, Formosa and China and the chief commercial places in Europe, India and America, and every description of Banking and exchange business transacted.

K. KODAMA, Manager.

International Banking Corporation

Head Office:
National City Bank Building
55 Wall Street, New York

London Office:
36 Bishopsgate, E. C.

Capital paid-up .....U.S. $3,250,000.00
Reserve and Undivided Profits 3,628,688.77
U.S. $6,878,988.77

Branches at:

Bombay	Hongkong	Singapore
Calcutta	Kobe	San Francisco
Canton	London	Tientsin
Cebu	Manila	Yokohama
Colon (P.C.Z.)	Medellin	Peking
Hankow	Panama	Shanghai

Through its close affiliation with THE NATIONAL CITY BANK OF NEW YORK, the Bank is able to offer the special services of the Branches of that Institution in Cuba and South America:—BUENOS AYRES, HABANA, MONTEVIDEO, RIO DE JANEIRO, SANTIAGO, SANTOS, SAO PAULO.

The Corporation transacts every description of Banking and Exchange business, issues Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit and Travellers' Cheques, available in the United States of America and in all other parts of the world, and receives money on CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNT and on FIXED DEPOSIT upon terms which can be ascertained on application.

G. HOGG,
Manager.
1a Kiukiang Road, SHANGHAI.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappij

(Netherlands Trading Society.)

Established 1824.
Paid-up Capital—
Guilds. 55,000,000 (about £4,603,666)
Reserve Fund—
Guilds. 9,925,431 (about £827,120)

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM.
Bankers:

Bandjermasin	Padang	Soerakarta
Bandoeng	Palembang	Tandjong Balei
Cheribon	Pekalongan	Tebing-Tinggi
Djember	Penang	Tegal
Djokjakarta	Pontianak	Telok-Betong
Hongkong	Rangoon	Tjilatap
Kota-Radja	Semarang	Weltevreden
Makassar	Singapore	
Medan	Soerabaya	

London Bankers:—
Union of London and Smith's Bank, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.

The Bank buys, sells, and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents, and transacts banking business of every description.

Current accounts kept in taels and dollars.

Shanghai Interest Allowed on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

B. G. I. WYNBERG,
Acting Agent.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: Shanghai.

Subscribed Capital Sh. Tls. 5,000,000
Paid-up Capital... Sh. Tls. 2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On Fixed deposits:
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.
On Deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. C. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager.

The Bank of Canton, Limited.

Incorporated 1912.

Authorised Capital .....H. $2,000,000
Subscribed and Paid-up Capital .....H. $1,357,850
Reserve Fund .....H. $70,000

Head Office:
6, Des Voeux Road, Hongkong.

Shanghai Office: 2, Ningpo Road.

Drafts granted on the Principal Commercial Cities throughout the world, Bills of Exchange bought and received for collection and every description of Banking and Exchange business undertaken.

Interest allowed on Tael Current Accounts at 2% p.a. on daily balance and on Fixed Deposits:
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.
On Deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

IUKUUN,
Manager.

The Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd.

Authorised Capital £1,500,000
Subscribed Capital 1,125,000
Paid-up Capital 562,500
Reserve Fund 550,000

Head Office, 15 Gracechurch Street, London, E. C.

London Bankers:
Bank of England.
London Joint Stock Bank, Ltd.

Branches & Agencies.

Bombay	Howrah	Madras
Calcutta	Kandy	Penang
Colombo	Karachi	Port Louis
Delhi	Kota Bahru	(Mauritius)
Galle	(Kelantan)	Rangoon
Hongkong	Kuala Lumpur	Shanghai
	Singapore.	

Shanghai Branch.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Tael Current Accounts at 2% per annum and on Fixed Deposits at rates which may be ascertained on application

G. T. BEATH.
Acting Manager.
7 Nanking Road.
9753

BANK OF COMMUNICATIONS

Paid-up Capital: Kungping Taels 10,000,000

Head Office: Peking.
Fifty Branches and Agencies In China.

SHANGHAI BRANCH

Interest allowed on current accounts and on fixed deposits in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.

Credit granted on approved securities and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
5559.

Provision Prices in Local Markets

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollars cents at Hongkew market, as compiled on October 3, 1916.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	14-20
Mutton	„	16-20
Pork	„	25-30
Veal	„	25-30
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	none
Cod	„	16-20
Mandarin	„	30-50
Mackerel	„	none
Pomfret	„	25-30
Salmon	„	20-25
Samli	„	none
Soles	„	20-30
Whitebait	„	none
Game, Poultry and Eggs		
Deer	each	none
Duck	„	40-70
Eggs	per doz.	15-18
Fowl	per lb.	16-18
Geese	each	50-80
Hare	„	30-35
Partridge	„	none
Pheasant	„	50-55
Pigeons	„	18-20
Plover	„	none
Quail	„	16-18
Snipe	„	14-16
Turkey	„ per lb.	45-50
Teal	each	14-16
Wild Duck	„	35-40
Wild Geese	„	none
Woodcock	„	none
Wild Pigeon	„	10-12
Fruit		
Apples	per lb.	10-15
Apricots	„	none
Bananas	„	5-6
Cherries	„	none
Cocoanuts	each	15-20
Chestnuts	per lb.	10-12
Figs	per doz.	3-5
Grapes	per lb.	12-16
Lemons	each	
Lichees	per lb.	none
Mangoes	each	none
Mangosteens	per doz.	none
Melons	each	none
Oranges	per lb.	none
Peaches	„	15-20
Persimmons	„	5-7
Pineapples	each	none
Peeboes	per lb.	none
Plums	per lb.	none
Pumeloes	each	10-15
Pears	per lb.	8-15
Strawberries	„	none
Walnuts	„	10-12
Vegetables		
Artichokes	each	3-4
Asparagus	per doz.	none
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	none
Broad Beans	„	4-5
Beetroot	per bunch	1-2
Cabbages	each	3-5
Celery	per bunch	2-3
Carrots	each	2-3
Cauliflower	each	none
Egg Plant	per lb.	5-6
French Beans	per lb.	4-5
Green Corn	each	2-3
Leeks	per bunch	2-3
Mushrooms	per lb.	none
Onions	per lb.	2-3
Peas	„	none
Potatoes	per pic.	$1.40-1.60
Parsnips	per lb.	2-3
Radishes	per bunch	1-2
Spinach	per lb.	4-5
Tomatoes	„	4-5
Turnips	per bunch	none
Grain and Flour		
Flour, American	per 50 lb.	$4.50
Flour, Shanghai	per 50 lb.	$2.40
Rice	per 200 lb.	$8.00
Milk		
Foreign dairies	per bottles	20
Chinese dairies	„	17
Fodder		
Barley	per 114 lbs.	$2.90
Bran	„	$2.25
Fuel		
House Coal	per ton	Tls. 9.50
Stove Coal	„	Tls. 16.00
Firewood	per 60 bundles	$1.00

E. KILNER

KOREANS WANT FREEDOM

Those in Honolulu Form Independence Association

Honolulu, September 30.—Koreans living here have formed an association for the purpose of working for the independence of Korea. A newspaper controlled by this group reports that a fund of 500,000 dollars has already been raised by these Koreans to further their movement.—*Asahi.*

NO THINKERS IN JAPAN?

Tagore Says She Won't Gain Respect Of World

Seattle, September 30.—Japan has produced no great thinkers because freedom of thought is discouraged in Japan, says Sir Rabindranath Tagore, the great Indian poet, who is now in Seattle. He says that Japan respects material civilization but does not permit of freedom of thought. Japan, he says, is ruled by a few elder statesmen, who are under the influence of outworn ideas. As long as she can produce no great thinkers, Japan cannot gain the respect of the world, the poet says.—*Asahi.*

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THE Apollo THEATRE

PROGRAMME
For October 10th, 11th and 12th
"THE RED CIRCLE"
A wonderful Pathe Serial of Heredity, Romance and Humanity, featuring Ruth Roland and Frank Mayo, assisted by an excellent cast. Produced by Balboa Company.
In 14 Episodes of 2 Parts Each
Tonight, showing 7th and 8th Episodes, entitled:
4 Reels
"The Third Degree"
and
"Peace at Any Price"

Pathe's Official War Picture
"THE BATTLE OF CHAMPAGNE"
Depicting the most interesting and thrilling incidents in the Great War. A film taken by special permission of the French Military Authorities.

DOLLY BUNCH
Introducing New and Popular Songs

"OPENED BY MISTAKE"
World Star Film Comedy

"IT DID LOOK SUSPICIOUS"
Vitagraph Comedy.

SPECIAL NOTICE

By request of our numerous patrons who were unable to gain admittance to the Apollo Theatre last Saturday night

"NEPTUNE'S DAUGHTER"
with
Annette Kellermann
will be screencd at
ST. GEORGE'S
Indoor Cinema Theatre
FOR TWO NIGHTS ONLY
Wednesday and Thursday, October 11th and 12th
Don't fail to see this
Weird, Wild, Wonderful Spectacle
in Seven Parts — 7,000 Feet

For reservation of boxes & seats
'Phone W802

OLYMPIC THEATRE

SHOWING
On Oct. 10th, 11th and 12th
The 19th and 20th
EPISODES
Of The Famous Film
"THE BROKEN COIN"
And Other New Films

VICTORIA THEATRE

NEW PROGRAMME
for
October 10th, 11th and 12th
SHOWING
"THE DAUGHTER OF EVE"
A Four Part Masterpiece
AND
Other New Films

Lyceum Theatre

GRAND
FAREWELL CONCERT
on
Friday, October 13
at 9.15 p.m.
by
Bogumil Sykora
'Cellist Virtuoso
Kindly assisted by
Madame Isenman and
Mr. V. Meyer.
At the piano, Mrs. Powell.
50% of net proceeds to be given to Allied Red Cross Funds.
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USUAL PRICES
11289

TOWA CINEMA THEATRE

Corner of Wuchang and Chapoo Roads.

NEW PROGRAMME
for
Tuesday and Wednesday
10th and 11th October
"SINEWS OF WAR"
Very Interesting War Drama in three parts. This picture shews how a country can be provided with the sinews of war if every one does his or her bit to assist when a call is made to its subjects for assistance.

"WHICH?"
A Good Comedy.

"THE SMUGGLERS."
Interesting Drama.

"TANGO-TANGLE."
Amusing Chaplin Picture.

Dress Circle Seats.....30 Cents

GENERAL SHIPPING NEWS

Future Sailings

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Date	Time	Destination	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
Oct	15 P.M.	Tacoma etc	Ide maru	Jap.	A. T. Co.
..	15 ..	New York via Panama	Pleiades	Br.	Dodwell
..	16 1.00	Seattle, Wash.	Shidzuoka maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
..	17 P.M.	San Francisco	Ecuador	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
..	20 ..	New York via Panama	Tsuyama maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
..	25 ..	Seattle, Vancouver B.C.	Henrik Ibsen	Br.	Forbes & Co
Nov	1 P.M.	San Francisco	Venezuela	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
..	3 5.00	Vancouver B.C.	Empress of Russia	Br.	C. P. O. S.
..	4 noon	San Francisco	Shinyo maru	Jap.	A. T. Co.
..	11 P.M.	Vancouver	Monteagle	Br.	C.P.O.S.
..	14 P.M.	San Francisco	China	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.
..	18 P.M.	Vancouver etc.	Empress of Japan	Br.	C.P.O.S.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

Oct	10 10.00*	Nagasaki, Moji, Kobe	Hakuai maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
..	12 11.00*	Moji, Kobe Osaka	Kumano maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
..	12 ..	Kobe, Yokohama	Kaga maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
..	13 3.00	Nagasaki	Simbirsk	Rus.	R. V. F.
..	14 P.M.	Kobe, Yokohama	Magellan	Fr.	Cie M.M.
..	14 12.00	Nagasaki, Moji	Chikuzen maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
..	16 ..	Moji, Kobe, Yokohama	Nore	Br.	P. & O.
..	17 P.M.	Kobe, Yokohama	Ecuador	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Nov	4 noon	Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama	Shinyo maru	Jap.	N.K.K.

FOR EUROPE, INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

Oct	11 D.L.	London via Cape	Demodocus	Br.	B. & S.
..	16 12.30	London via Hongkong etc.	Fushimi maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
..	16 11.30*	Marseilles, London via Suez	Novara	Br.	P. & O.
..	18 D.L.	Liverpool via Cape	Machaon	Br.	B. & S.
..	19 ..	Bombay via Hongkong	Kamakura maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
..	26 ..	London	Tokuyama maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
..	29 11.00*	London via Hongkong etc	Hirano maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
..	30 A.M.	Marseilles, London via Suez	Nore	Br.	P. & O.
Nov	8 D.L.	London via Cape	Pyrrhus	Br.	B. & S.
..	15 D.L.	Liverpool via Cape	Oanfa	Br.	B. & S.
..	15 P.M.	Genoa, London etc.	Glenogle	Br.	Glen Line
..	29 D.L.	London via Cape	Cyclops	Br.	B. & S.
Dec	8 D.L.	Liverpool via Cape	Ningchow	Br.	B. & S.
..	15 P.M.	Genoa, London etc.	Glenfiler	Br.	Glen Line

FOR SOUTH ERN PORTS

Oct	10 A.M.	Amoy, Swatow, Hongkong	Chiyuen	Chi.	C.M.S.N.Co.
..	10 A.M.	Foochow	Taishun	Chi.	C. M. S. N. Co.
..	10 D.L.	Hongkong, Canton	Luchow	Br.	B. & S.
..	11 4.00	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br.	B. & S.
..	11 P.M.	Hongkong	Venezuela	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
..	11 P.M.	Ningpo, Wenchow	Kwangchi	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
..	12 10.00*	Swatow, Hongkong, Canton	Choysang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
..	12 D.L.	Amoy, Hongkong, Canton	Shantung	Br.	B. & S.
..	13 D.L.	Swatow, Hongkong	Tamsui	Br.	B. & S.
..	16 A.M.	Moji, Formosa via Foochow	Kohoku maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
..	19 3.00	Hongkong	Kamakura maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
..	21 P.M.	Hongkong via Manila	Empress of Russia	Br.	C. P. O. S.
Nov	1 5.00	Hongkong	China	Am	C. M. S. S. Co
..	21 5.00	Hongkong	Persia maru	Jap.	A. T. Co.

FOR NORTH ERN PORTS

Oct	10 10.00*	Weihaiwei, Chefoo, Tientsin	Tungchow	Br.	B. & S.
..	10 10.00*	Dalny direct	Sakaki maru	Jap.	S. M. R.
..	10 10.00*	Antung	Chungking	Br.	B. & S.
..	11 1.00	Chefoo, Newchwang	Foochow	Br.	B. & S.
..	12 A.M.	Chefoo, Newchwang	Kungping	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
..	12 10.00*	Weihaiwei, Chefoo, Tientsin	Koonshing	Br.	J. M. & Co.
..	13 3.00	Tsingtao	Ono maru	Jap.	S. M. R.
..	13 10.00*	Weihaiwei, Chefoo, Tientsin	Fengtien	Br.	B. & S.
..	14 D.L.	Newchwang	Singan	Br.	B. & S.
..	13 [illegible]*	Tsingtao and Dalny	Kobe maru	Jap.	S. M. R.
..	13 3.00	Vladivostock	Simbirsk	Rus.	R.V.F.
..	14 10.00*	Weihaiwei, Chefoo, Tientsin	Shengking	Br.	B. & S.
..	14 D.L.	Tientsin direct	Kwangping	Br.	K.M.A.
..	18 P.M.	Tientsin, Tsingtao & Dalny	Keelung maru	Jap.	N.K.K.

FOR RIVER PORTS

Oct	10	M.N. Hankow etc.	Suiwo	Br.	J.M. & Co.
..	10	M.M. do	Shansi	Br.	B. & S.
..	10	M.N. do	Changon	Br.	Geddes & Co
..	11	M.N. do	Tachi maru	Jap.	N. K. K.
..	11	M.N. do	Kiangyung	Chi.	C.M.S.N.Co.
..	11	M.N. do	Siangyang maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
..	11	M.N. do	Tatung	Br.	B. & S.
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..	13	M.N. do	Luenyi	Br.	B. & S.
..	14	M.N. do	Nanyang maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
..	14	M.N. do	Poyang	Br.	B. & S.
..	15	M.N. do	Kiangkwan	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
..	16	M.N. do	Kiangwah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.

*A.M. M.N.—Midnight. D.L.—Daylight.

Arrivals

Date	From	Ship's Name	Tons	Flag	Agents	Berth
Oct 8	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	2868	Br.	B. & S.	CNCW
Oct 8	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	2151	Chi.	N. S. N. Co.	NSCW
Oct 9	Hongkong	Shantung	1568	Br.	B. & S.	WTW
Oct 9	Hankow	Kiangyung	451	Chi.	C.M.S.N.Co.	KLYW
Oct 9	Hankow	Tatung	882	Br.	B. & S.	ONW
Oct 9	Hankow	Siangyang maru	2295	Jap.	N.K.K.	NYKW
Oct 9	Tientsin	Fengtien	1073	Br.	B. & S.	CNW
Oct 9		Kungping	1742	Chi.	C.M.S.N.Co.	

Departures

Date	For	Ship's Name	Tons	Flag	Agents
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8	San Fancisco	Tenyo maru	7265	Jap.	A. T. Co.
8	Vancouver B.C.	Empress of Asia	8882	Br.	C. P. O. S.
8	Marseilles	Paul Lecat	7546	Fr.	Cie M. M.
8	Swatow, Hongkong	Anhui	1356	Br.	B. & S.
8	Suminoye	Fujisan maru	1276	Jap.	M. B. K.
8	Moji	Matsuyama maru	1886	Jap.	N. Y. K.
8	Hankow etc.	Nganking	1740	Br.	B. & S.
8	Hankow etc.	Ningshao	1920	Br.	Geddes & Co.
8	Moji	Pathan	3304	Br.	Dodwell
8	Ningpo, Wenchow	Poochi	631	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
8		Shinfoo	1323	Chi.	R. M. A.
8	Japan	Taishu maru	879	Jap.	Satoh Shokai
8	Tsingtao	Tokei maru	1412	Jap.	M. B. Co.
8	Newchwang	Tientsin	1227	Br.	B. & S.
8	Japan	Yawata maru	2159	Jap.	N. Y. K.
8	Wakamatzu	Yodo maru	1350	Jap.	Furukawa
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Siccawei Weather Report

8.—The cyclonic center of the Pacific is partially filling up a shallow depression is still lingering in the Eastern of the Philippines. The depression of Mongolia advances towards the Pechihli Bay. The high pressures shift towards the N.E. of China. Some rain in the Yangtze Valley and in Chihli.

9.—Rainy and misty weather. Barometer falling; wind backing to the N.

Meteorological Readings

Monday, October 9, 1916.

WEATHER.	4 a.m.	9 a.m
Bar. at 0°Centg., mm	765.12	766.33
" " inches	30.12	30.17
Variation mm. for 24 h	-0.09	-0.15
Variation mm. for 12h	-0.21	-0.06
Wind { Direction	NE	ENE
Wind { Kilom per hour	7	26
Wind { Miles	4.3	16.2
Temperature { Cen	15°5	21°6
Temperature { Fahr	59.9	70.9
Humidity: oo	94	64
Nebulosity: 5-10	8	9
Rainfall mm	—	—
Rainfall inches	—	—

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The Shanghai Filipino Club was the scene Saturday night of a happy gathering in celebration of the passage of the Jones Bill by the American Congress. There was a music program, dancing and speech-making in which the local Filipino community joined by the Filipino members of the band from the U. S. flagship Brooklyn participated.

At the end the Filipino and American national airs were played. Mr. M. Biel, president of the club made an address in Tagalog. Mr. I. M. Acierto was chairman of the reception committee and toastmaster. The principal address in English was made by Mr. Simon Dasmarinas, who spoke on "The Philippine Citizen," in place of Mr. A. Lucena. He said:

Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen: It is a great pleasure for me to have the opportunity of meeting my countrymen tonight and my first words in honor of the Jones Bill are of profound and sincere thanks for your presence and attention.

First of all, compatriots, I desire to tell you that it is not my wish to make a political speech here for I am not a politician nor have I ever engaged in politics. But in honor of the Jones Bill which we are celebrating tonight and in accordance with the request of our compatriot, Mr. I. M. Acierto, the President of the Reception Committee and Toastmaster, and the one who has been continuously laboring with all possible means in order to make this a successful celebration, I take the place of Mr. A. Lucena who was to deliver his address in English but who, unfortunately will be unable to do so on account of illness. Believing that this call is one to which it is my duty to respond in order to show my patriotism and affection to my mother country, I am here with you tonight to speak briefly of "The Philippine Citizen."

"Citizen" my compatriots, is a word derived from Latin (Civis) meaning in the early days the most favored and highly privileged class of people in Rome. At the present time, however, the word "citizen" applies to a member of a nation or sovereign state, or one who owes allegiance to a government and is entitled to protection from it. Now the Philippine citizens as defined in the Jones Bill are

> "all inhabitants of the Philippine Islands who were Spanish subjects on the eleventh day of April, eighteen hundred and ninety-nine, and then resided in said islands, and their children born subsequent thereto, shall be deemed and held to be citizens of the Philippine Islands, except such as shall have elected to preserve their allegiance to the Crown of Spain in accordance with the provisions of the treaty of peace between the United States and Spain, signed at Paris December tenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, and except such others as have since become citizens of some other countries. . ."

But the Jones Bill does not grant independence to the Philippines: Its preamble recites, indeed, that it has always been the *intention* of the American people to do so, but it does not even promise independence expressly. Hence we Filipinos, while Philippine citizens under the Jones Bill, are also subject to the sovereignty of the United States, owe it allegiance and are entitled to its protection. And I am sure that those of us who are domiciled in China appreciate this for otherwise we would be subject to Chinese laws, courts and officials; while now, because of our relation to the United States we share with Americans the benefits of Extraterritoriality and enjoy the privileges of the United States Courts, the protection of the United States Navy, and of the American laws.

The passage of the Jones Bill is a matter of deep significance to us as it marks a distinct point in the uplifting of our people and we have, therefore, a very good reason to celebrate tonight in its honor. The following extracts which I am going to read are the very important passages in said bill as they are the rudimentary principles of justice which we have been struggling for during the Spanish sovereignty in our islands.

The first of these is that no law shall be enacted in said islands which shall deprive any person of life, liberty, or property without due process of law, or deny to any person therein the equal protection of the law. Private property shall not be taken for public use without just compensation.

(2) That in all criminal prosecutions the accused shall enjoy the right to be heard by himself and counsel, to demand the nature and cause of the accusation against him, to have a speedy and public trial, to meet the witness face to face, and to have compulsory process to compel the attendance of witnesses in his behalf.

(3) That no person shall be held to answer for a criminal offense without due process of law; and no person for the same offense shall be twice put in jeopardy of punishment, nor shall be compelled in any criminal case to be a witness against himself.

(4) That all persons shall before conviction be bailable by sufficient sureties, except for capital offenses.

(5) That no law impairing the obligation of contracts shall be enacted.

(6) That no person shall be imprisoned for debt.

(7) That the privilege of the writ of *habeas corpus* shall not be suspended, unless when in cases of rebellion, insurrection, or invasion the public safety may require it.

(8) That no law granting a title of nobility shall be enacted.

(9) That the right to be secured against unreasonable searches and seizures shall not be violated.

(10) That slavery shall not exist in said islands; nor shall involuntary servitude exist therein except as a punishment for crime whereof the party shall have been duly convicted.

(11) That no law shall be passed abridging the freedom of speech or of the press, or the right of the people peaceably to assemble and petition the Government for redress of grievances.

(12) That no law shall be made respecting an establishment of religion or prohibiting the free exercise thereof, and that the free exercise and enjoyment of religious profession and worship, without discrimination or preference, shall for ever be allowed; and no religious test shall be required for the exercise of civil or political rights.

(13) That contracting of polygamous or plural marriages is prohibited.

(14) That no warrant shall issue but upon probable cause, supported by oath or affirmation, and particularly describing the place to be searched and the person or things to be seized.

It is by such provisions as these and not by promising to withdraw from us that the United States guarantees and preserves the rights of our people.

I believe, compatriots, that I have sufficiently given to you the meaning of the term Philippine citizen as well as of our rights that go with it and if we can learn them by heart and apply them we will surely be good citizens. I would now like to touch upon our duties and responsibilities as Philippine citizens.

Our first duty as Philippine citizens is to observe the law as prescribed by competent political authority. We must bear in mind that in all countries, all good citizens do this no matter how poor the system and how primitive they are. And we Filipinos must not overlook the fact that the safety of our people is the supreme law. We must know how to protect our country in case of aggression from external forces by rendering our personal assistance at any moment; we must defend and preserve the institutions which have been established for the development of our people. And here we must remember that no popular government can permanently stand unless it rests upon the solid foundation of intelligence. The schools which America has founded in our country must be supported and developed by us and we must use every effort to banish from our fair land the dense ignorance which still enthralls the great mass of our people of the older generation. Thus our attention as Philippine citizens ought for the next few years to be centered upon the education of our countrymen. It is education and not politics or arms that our people need. Our watchwords should be

Not the sword but the school. (No la espada Sino la escuala).

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The C.M. s.s. Kiangwah will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Chenan will leave Hongkong for Shanghai today.

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000	1125	650	. .	arr. Tientsin-East dep.		1920	1645	700
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1300	038	—	318	arr.	Yenchowfu	dep. —	349	1311
1315	048	—		dep.	Yenchowfu	arr. —	339	1256
1536	316	—	377	dep.	Lincheng	dep. —	120	1032
1816	450	—	—	arr.	Hsuchowfu	dep. —	2336	810
9.	‡	—	420		‡	—	‡	10.
600	437	—	—	dep.	Hsuchowfu	arr. —	2329	2007
1156	833	—	523	arr.	Pengpu	dep. —	1958	1442
‡ 205	840	—		dep.	Pengpu	arr. —	1946	1422
1357	1152	—	600	dep.	Chuchow	dep. —	1648	928
1748	1300	—	631	arr.	Pukow	dep. —	1530	728

Express 16 B. S.	Express 10. B.			Shanghai-Nanking Line		Express 1. B.	Express 15. B. B.
. .	1430	. .	0	dep.	Nanking-Ferry arr.	1410	. .
2300	1420	. .	. .	dep.	Nanking arr.	1415	650
700	2130	. .	193	arr.	Shanghai-North dep.	755	2300

Yenchowfu Tsinngchow Branch Line					Lincheng-Tsochuang Branch Line					
930	1350	2130	d. Yenchowfu a.	630	1230	2000	530	1110	1800	d. Lincheng a.	810	1410	2100
1032	1453	2230	a. Tsninghow d.	528	1125	1853	638	1219	1908	a. Tsochuang d.	708	1308	1908

The station for the foreign concessions in Tientsin is "TIENTSIN-EAST"

Conventional Signs.

300 — train runs on Thursday only. 230 — train runs on Fridays only.

300 — on trains marked thus passengers must hold additional place tickets.
B — train has buffet car with regular meal service
S — train has sleep. accomm. 1st & 2nd class. s — train has only 1st class sleep. accomm.

Application for sleeping accommodation at $5.00 per berth should, at the earliest possible moment, be made to the Traffic Manager at Tientsin, or to the Traffic-Inspectors at Tientsin, Tsinanfu, Hsuchowfu or Pukow.

By Order.
THE TRAFFIC MANAGER.
Tientsin, September, 1916.

SHANGHAI-NANKING RAILWAY ABRIDGED TIME TABLE.

Shanghai North To Nanking—Up (Main Line) Nanking To Shanghai North—Down

STATIONS.	1 Express R	3 Local	5 Slow	7 Coolie Goods	9 Fast R	11 Local	13 N S G Local	15 Night Express R.S.	17 N S G Local
SHANGHAI NORTH ..dep.	7.55		8.20	9.00	12.50	15.20	5.40	23.00	17.15
Nansiang..			8.56	9.42	13.21	15.55	9.15	—	17.50
Kunshan			9.55	11.04	14.07	16.51		—	
SOOCHOW arr.	9.34		10.52	12.08	14.50	17.43		1.01	
dep.	9.41		11.02	12.13	14.57	18.13		1.08	
WUSIH .. arr.	10.24		12.11	13.33	15.45	18.53		2.03	
dep.	10.31		12.21	13.43	15.52	19.41		2.10	
CHANGCHOW arr.	11.13		13.30	14.51	16.33	20.45		3.09	
dep.	11.22	6.50	13.42	15.01	16.47			3.10	
TANYANG .. arr.	12.07	8.00	14.57	16.10	17.41			—	
dep.	12.09	8.03	14.59	16.14	17.43			—	
CHINKIANG arr.	12.43	8.53	15.49	17.08	18.22			4.55	
dep.	12.52	8.59	15.57	17.18	18.32			5.06	
Nanking Ferry ..arr.	*14.10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
NANKING	14.15	10.55	17.50	19.25	20.05			6.50	..

STATIONS.	2 Local	4 Slow	6 Coolie Goods	8 Fast R	10 Express R	12 Local	14 N S G Local	16 Night Express R.S.	18 N S G Local
NANKING .. ..dep.		7.00	7.30	11.15	*14.20	15.55		22.00	
Nanking Ferry ..dep.		—	—	—	*14.20	—		—	
CHINKIANG.. arr.		8.57	9.42	12.50	15.51	18.05		0.46	
dep.		9.06	9.52	12.59	16.01	18.25		1.00	
TANYANG .. arr.		9.55	10.45	13.38	16.36	19.16		—	
dep.		9.57	10.53	13.40	16.38	19.19		—	
CHANGCHOW arr.		11.04	12.11	14.42	17.28	20.30		2.53	
dep.	6.30	11.14	12.22	14.52	17.36			3.06	
WUSIH .. arr.	7.24	12.14	13.36	15.48	18.34			4.01	
dep.	7.31	12.22	13.46	15.53	18.51			4.11	
SOOCHOW .. arr.	8.40	13.35	14.55	16.47	19.21			5.04	
dep.	8.46	13.50	15.06	16.55	19.28			5.12	
Kunshan	9.54	14.57	16.14	17.41	—			—	
Nansiang..	10.58	15.57	17.19	18.28	—		9.40	6.33	18.00
SHANGHAI NORTH .. arr.	11.35	16.30	17.55	18.55	21.30		10.15	7.00	18.35

R. Restaurant Cars S. Sleeping Cars
*Connects at Tientsin with the Peking-Mukden and through Siberian Service.

Woosung Forts to Shanghai North—Up (Branch Line) Shanghai North to Woosung Forts—Down

	21	23	25	27	29	41	43	45	47
WOOSUNG FORTS .....dep.	7.00	8.20	10.45	13.10	14.40	16.10	18.10	19.40	21.30
KIANGWAN	7.27	8.47	11.12	13.37	15.07	16.37	18.37	20.07	21.57
SHANGHAI NORTH ..... arr.	7.35	8.55	11.20	13.45	15.15	16.45	18.45	20.15	22.05

	22	24	26	28	40	42	44	46	48
SHANGHAI NORTH ....dep.	6.20	7.40	10.05	12.15	14.00	15.30	17.25	18.00	20.30
KIANGWAN	6.31	7.51	10.16	12.26	14.11	15.41	17.36	18.11	20.41
WOOSUNG FORTS .....arr.	6.55	8.15	10.40	12.50	14.35	16.05	18.00	19.35	21.05

SHANGHAI-HANGCHOW-NINGPO RAILWAY

ABRIDGED TIME TABLE IN FORCE FROM THE 1st NOVEMBER, 1915.

MAIN LINE.

SHANGHAI TO ZAH KOU. "DOWN" ZAH KOU TO SHANGHAI. "UP"

STATIONS	TIMES 2 Local Mixed a.m.	4 Fast a.m.	6 Slow a.m.	8 Coolie Goods a.m.	10 Ex-Press p.m.	12 Local Mixed p m.
Shanghai South .....dep.		8.00	8.55	10.15	3.30	4.20
Sung Kiang..... arr.		8.52	10.01	11.24	4.13	5.46
Sung Kiang..... dep.		8.55	10.06	11.40	4.15	5.56
Ka Shai.....		9.49	11.07	1.02	5.00	7.10
Ka Shing ..... arr.		10.11	11.35	1.33	5.19	7.40
Ka Shing ..... dep.	7.30	10.19	11.45	1.46	5.29	
Yeh Zah..... arr.	8.24	10.56	12.27	2.37	5.56	
Yeh Zah..... dep.	8.40	10.58	12.31	2.52	5.58	
Chang An	9.38	11.33	1.17	3.55	6.25	
Hangchow ..... arr.	11.18	12.28	2.30	5.32	7.09	
Hangchow ..... dep.	11.30	12.38	2.42	5.47	7.24	
Zah Kou ..... arr.	11.55	12.57	3.05	6.20	7.40	

STATIONS	TIMES 1 Local Mixed a.m.	3 Fast a.m.	5 Slow a.m.	7 Coolie Goods a.m.	9 Ex-press p.m.	11 Local Mixed p.m.
Zah Kou ..... dep.		7.20	8.20	9.25	2.20	3.50
Hangchow ..... arr.		7.44	8.45	9.58	2.35	4.18
Hangchow ..... dep.		7.55	8.55	10.13	2.50	4.25
Chang An		8.52	10.11	12.15	3.41	5.48
Yeh Zah..... arr.		9.25	10.54	1.15	4.06	6.37
Yeh Zah..... dep.		9.32	11.01	1.50	4.08	6.47
Ka Shing ..... arr.		10.09	11.43	2.45	4.35	7.38
Ka Shing ..... dep.	7.40	10.12	11.55	3.01	4.41	
Ka Shai	8.18	10.36	12.26	3.37	5.01	
Sung Kiang..... arr.	9.33	11.29	1.26	4.48	5.44	
Sung Kiang..... dep.	10.02	11.32	1.31	4.58	5.47	
Shanghai South ... arr.	11.22	12.25	2.38	6.07	6.30	

KIANGSHOO BRANCH LINE

KON ZEN CHIAO TO ZAH KOU ZAH KOU TO KON ZEN CHIAO

STATIONS	14 a.m.	16 a.m.	18 a.m.	20 p.m.	22 p.m.	24 p.m.
Kon Zen Chiao ... dep.	7.40	10.10	11.50	1.50	3.15	6.35
Kon Shang Hsu .. arr.	7.58	10.28	12.03	2.03	3.28	6.48
Kon Shang Hsu .. dep.	8.04	10.30	12.05	2.05	3.30	6.50
Hangchow ..... arr.	8.13	10.40	12.15	2.15	3.40	7.00
Hangchow ..... dep.	8.21				3.50	
Zah Kou ..... arr.	8.46				4.15	

STATIONS	13 a.m.	15 a.m.	17 p.m.	19 p.m.	21 p.m.	23 p.m.
Zah Kou ..... dep.	9.00				5.10	
Hangchow ..... arr.	9.19				5.33	
Hangchow ..... dep.	9.24	10.55	12.35	2.40	5.42	7.15
Kon Shang Hsu .. arr.	9.34	11.05	12.45	2.48	5.52	7.25
Kon Shang Hsu .. dep.	9.37	11.12	12.47	2.50	5.56	7.29
Kon Zen Chiao ... arr.	9.50	11.25	1.00	3.03	6.09	7.41

Light Type A.M. Dark Type P.M.

Business and Official Notices

NEW FRENCH WAR LOAN

5% "de la Defense Nationale" 1916.

PRICE OF ISSUE 88.75%

The list of applications will be opened in Paris from October 5th until October 20th and those intending to subscribe are invited to apply without delay.

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11066

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The Directors of the above Companies have reason to fear that other similar frauds may have been perpetrated.

ALL PERSONS DEALING in shares of the above Companies are warned to examine the certificates with care.

HOLDERS OF CERTIFICATES of these Companies are recommended and requested to send their scrip to the Company's Head Office to be verified.

By order of the Boards of Directors,
HUGO REISS & CO.,
Secretaries & General Managers.
Shanghai, 4th October, 1916.
11235

The Cheng Rubber Estates, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sixth Annual General Meeting of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Head Office, No. 38 Canton Road, Shanghai, on Friday, the 20th day of October, 1916, at 4.30 p.m., for presentation of the report of the Directors and accounts to 30th June, 1916.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from Friday, the 13th to Friday, the 20th October, 1916, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
HUGO REISS & CO.
Secretaries & General Managers.
Shanghai, 7th October, 1916.
11277

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GOLD AND SILVER
Watchmaking and Engraving.
11173

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Ordered "Upper Crust" Rye and said: "Here's a heart."

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

S. S. "Fengyang Maru" on fire whilst on a voyage from Hankow to Shanghai.

A General Average has been declared in connection with the above.

A cash deposit of 25 per cent must be paid and an Average Bond signed by consignees prior to delivery of their cargo.

NISSHIN KISEN KAISHA.
7th October, 1916. 11281

ANNOUNCEMENT

of

The Hunan Board of Mines.

WE, the Hunan Board of Mines, hereby declare that the five contracts for delivery of five hundred tons of tin from Shang-Hwa-Ling in the Ning-Woo district, made between ourselves and J. K. Panoff & Company, dated June 8th, 1912, have this day (14th Sept., 1916) been cancelled. Four of the five contracts have been returned to us. As to the other contract, J. K. Panoff & Company declared that this contract has not been sold, transferred, assigned, or hypothecated in any way. It is to be considered as cancelled and they have agreed to secure it, and after endorsing same as cancelled, to deliver it to us. If the other contract mentioned above breeds discord, we do not hold ourselves responsible for it. Naturally, J. K. Panoff & Company is the responsible person.

We do further declare that we gave no separate voucher or receipt to J. K. Panoff & Company. If any receipt was at any time issued, we hereby declare same to be void and cancelled.

October 2nd, 1916.
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11249

The Cotton Anti-Adulteration Association

THE Fifth Annual Meeting of the above association will be held at the offices of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Company, Limited, on Tuesday, 10th October, 1916, at 4 p.m., when the Committee's Report and Statement of Accounts for the period ended 31st July, 1916, will be presented.

E. C. PEARCE,
Chairman.
11206

NOTICE

The undersigned begs to announce that he will remove to 19 Nanking Road on October 9, 1916.

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S. M. P. Fourteenth Annual Sports.

IN AID OF THE SHANGHAI WOUNDED FUND.

To be held on the Public Recreation Ground, Saturday, 21st October, 1916, commencing at 1.30 p.m. Sharp

OPEN EVENTS.

Throwing the Baseball. At object. 20 yards.
Putting 16 lb. Shot. Handicap.
Throwing 16 lb. Hammer ,,
Throwing Discus ,,
Long Jump ,,
120 yards Hurdles ,,
100 ,, Flat. Shanghai Championship.
440 ,, ,, ,, ,,
880 ,, ,, ,, ,,
1 Mile ,, Handicap.
1 ,, Walk ,,
3 ,, Cycle ,,
a. 1 ,, International Relay Race.
Obstacle Race.
b. Tug-of-war.
Costume Race (200 Yards).
Donkey ,, (Costume).
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,, Under 10 ,, 75 ,, ,,
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a. Open to Allied & Neutral teams of 4.
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NO POST ENTRIES. A.A.A. LAWS.
ENTRIES CLOSE: 6 P.M., 10th OCTOBER, 1916.

Entrance fee: $1.00 each event. Tug-of-war $10.00 each team. Relay race $4.00 each team (Mexican Dollar Notes). Children 50 cents.

Competitors' tickets will only be issued to persons entering for 2 or more events—except in case of children.

Admission to Sports Enclosure:
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J. F. PROSSER.
Hon. Secretary.
Central Police Station.
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QUINNEY'S
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19th
W. J. Locke's delightful Comedy
THE MORALS OF MARCUS
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Martin Harvey's great Adelphi Theatre Costume Play
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